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This information was obtained from Dr. G. W. Pope, Medical Officer of Health, in reply to enquiries made by the Telegraph this morning.

They gained their freedom while troops were attacking the bandit forces.

During Father Burns' captivity, the bandits made extravagant demands for his ransom. One of them was for \$5,000,000 in cash and a supply of modern weapons, including artillery.—Reuter.

Minister of Mines, has been recommended by the Union Government to succeed Lord Clarendon as the Governor-General. He would be the first South African to occupy the post.

empted from excise duty certain artificial silk yarn with ruptured filaments, flat strip artificial silk straw exceeding three-eighths of an inch in width and tubular artificial silk straw in pieces, not exceeding ten inches in length.

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Your lucky stone is the ruby. Wear it and you will be fortunate in love.
Your lucky number is 9, and the flower assigned to you is the wild geranium.

FOR THE CHILLY MORTAL

By Jacqueline Howard

A GREAT DEAL of the art of looking well in cold weather depends upon keeping warm. To-day you can have vests, pants, camiknicks, nightgowns and pyjamas which give at least twice the warmth of silks, have the softest of textures, and even the warmest are pleasant to look at and not in the least bulky.

Most of them are in a mixture of silk and wool, though some are in very finely-woven wool or in heavy, woven silk. A gentle peach is better than white, which will not look so well after many tubbings in the peach.

For fashioning the shapes a variety of delicate stitchings is introduced, either more or less lacy, according to whether you want the garments for really hard everybody or sports wear, or for evening.

For numbers of people the heavy-weight silk provides all the extra protection necessary, particularly with knickers closed at the knee. But for the real chilly mortal wool or silk and wool are more comforting. The day-time vests and camiknicks have cleverly-shaped brassiere tops and often bands of finer, closer weaving at the waistline which help considerably towards that very trim-ribbed and neat waisted effect this winter's clothes demand.

For nights there are nightdresses and pyjamas in the same soft woven fabrics and with the same band of closer weaving at the waistline. There are also nightdresses and pyjamas made in nun's veiling or Viscella, bound and monogrammed in contrasting colour.

There are Lucy Shetland wool nightdresses lined with chiffon and matched by early morning jackets and dressing gowns, and to people in search of just something warm and delicate to enfold themselves in while enjoying early morning tea, I commend the new Shetland shawls, which are produced in such entrancing colours.

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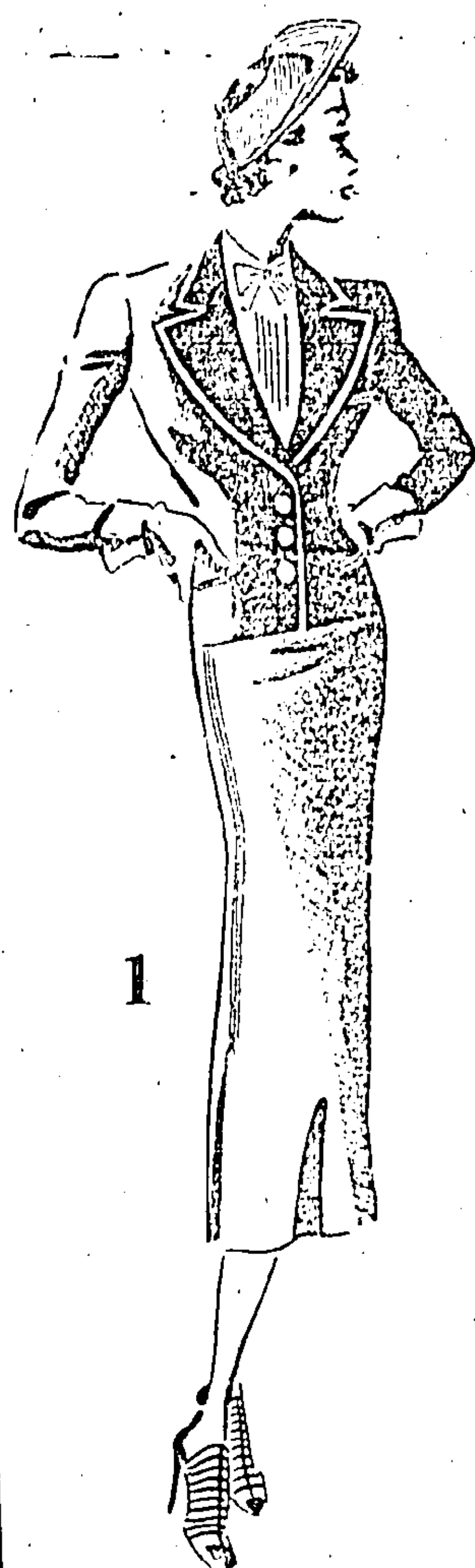
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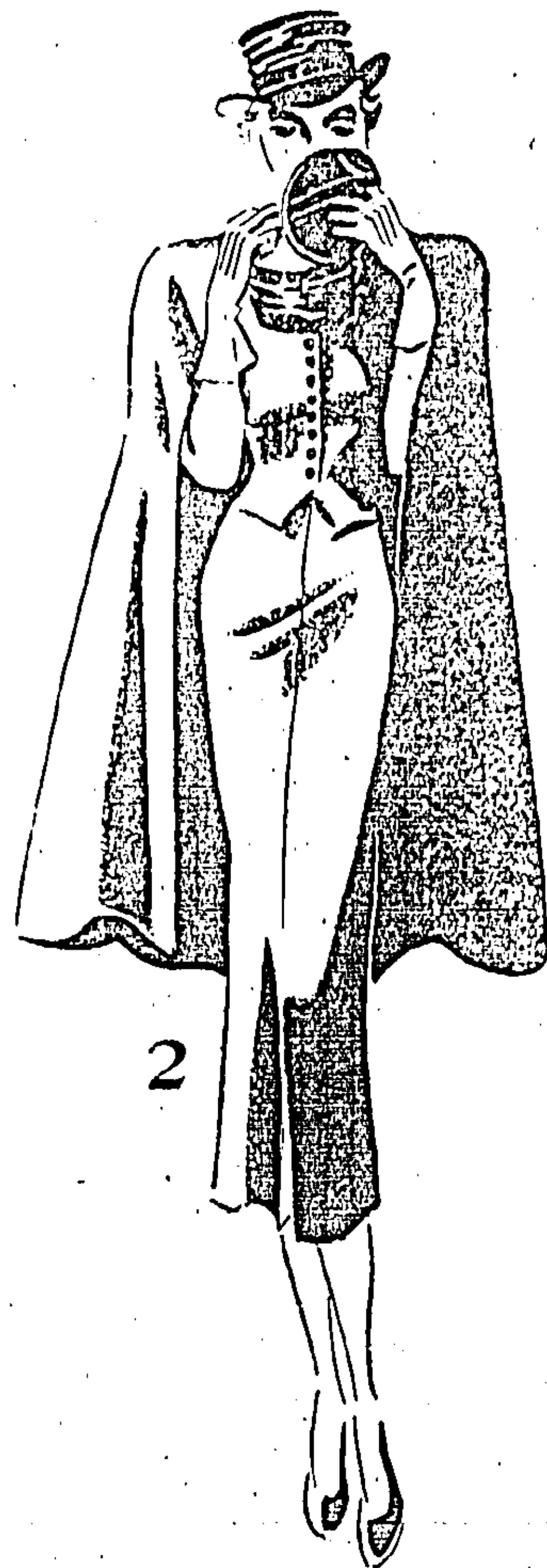
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1 You zip everywhere...



ZIP on hats is used by American manufacturers and dressmakers much more generally, and imaginatively, than over here. Drawing shows one of the new crownless pique hats with stitched brim—almost square, like a sun-shield turned up. Band encircling back of head zips up the middle. Idea is that, unzipped, the hat stretches out flat, for home washing and ironing.

Suit of navy wool fabric shows zip fastenings on pockets and skirt. Double revers and fancy edgings (Viennese braids, castellated or scalloped piques) are all over New York. On a dark suit like this the second layer of white pique—with matching buttons—can be changed, in autumn, for darker edging and buttons.

GLOVES of white pique, zip fasten down centre back of hand.

SHOES: New Yorkers all wear sandal types. Smartest are these that have narrow straps mounting high on the ankle arch.

2 Next Autumn...

AUTUMN fashions already to be seen in some New York shops.

LONG CAPES, fitting close on the shoulder, hanging straight, made up in fairly heavy wool fabrics.

CONCENTINA HATS, looking like debauched opera hats and made of rather hairy felts.

BAG DESIGNS echoing line of the hat they go with (like the one in this drawing).

"ENGLISH" type waistcoats (well, we don't have to adapt those).



For the hostess... 3

HOSTESS gowns are what they call the sort of dress you can wear for a quiet dinner, cinema, or for a dressed-up afternoon with a hat. Some of these dresses are even more hospitable and will look like a really ritzy dressing-gown (in your mother's day they were called "rest" gown) as well.

THIS ONE, rather more formal, is of course black net over a black marocain slip. Sleeves are dropped in loose folds, like curtain drapes. Daisy chains hang from neck to shoulder.

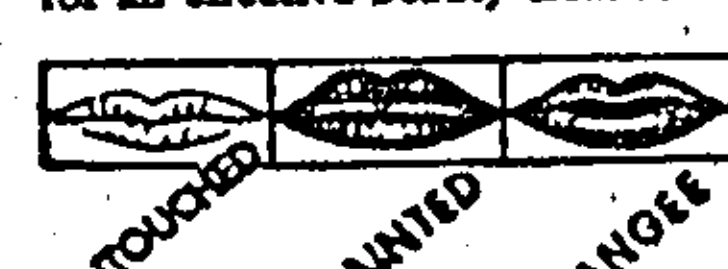
HAT for late afternoon is just a band of velvet with a kerchief of net caught on with a few stitches, so that it looks as though it is thrown on, like a veil.

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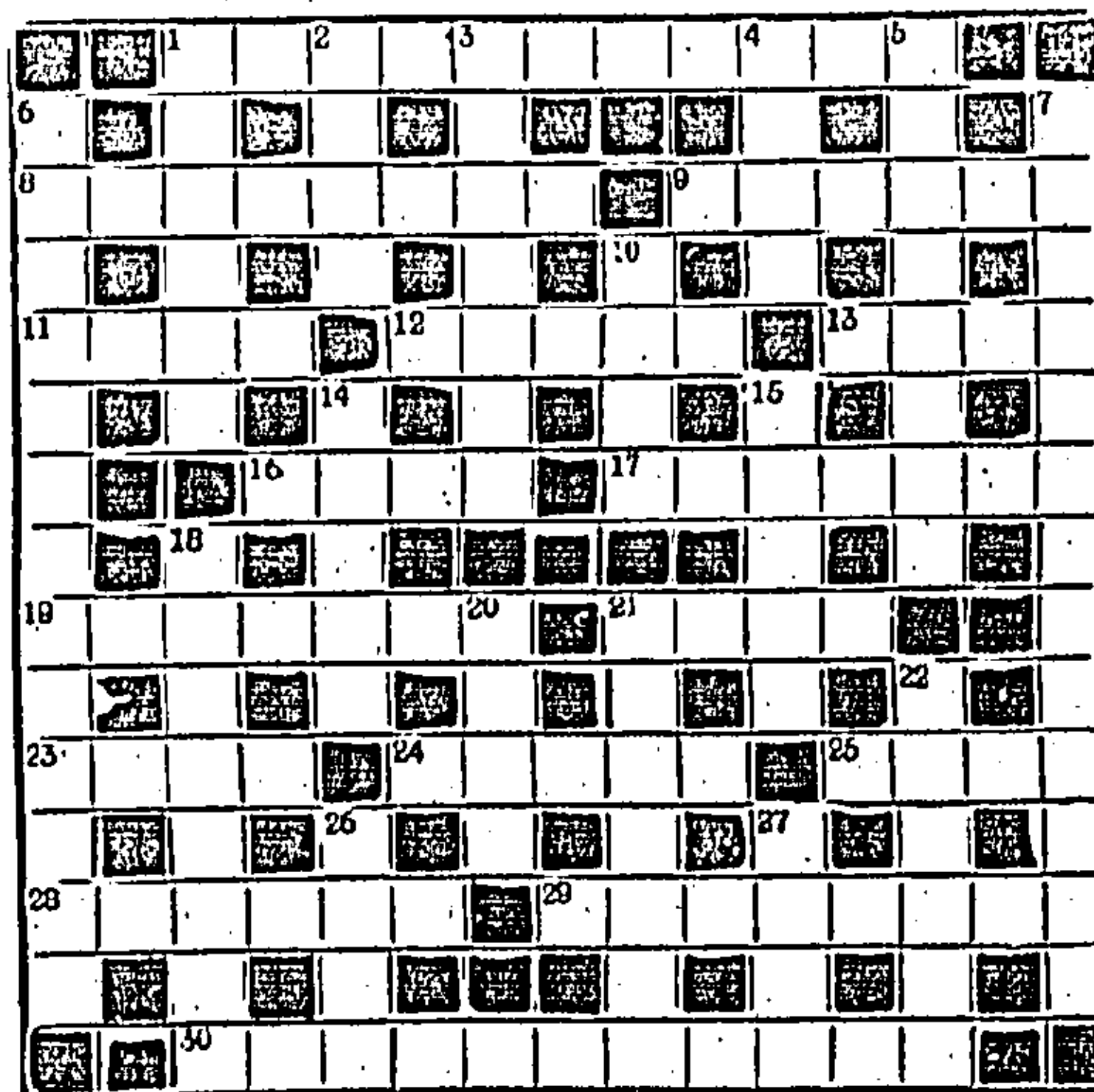
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- 8 O pawn a hatchet, and you will be hot on the scent.
- 9 You have to struggle with rivets.
- 11 How marsh-weeds grow in verse.
- 12 Twenty only half excel.
- 13 The truck that takes the shillings.
- 16 Elgin marbles, I've no doubt.
- 17 Where horns go in to become smaller.
- 19 Deliver only one way, so much abused.
- 21 What a Welsh poet looks like from the back.
- 23 Reverse this.
- 24 Though in a most peculiar way, ride aloft it seems to say.
- 25 Boys love what pigs do, don't they?
- 28 Though it makes one feel sick, one must admit there's some use in it.
- 29 State a banker's arrangement here.
- 30 What dentists make when they can't stop.

DOWN

- 1 Likely to be working in concert with others.
- 2 Gin portion up.
- 3 Shades of France.
- 4 Amateurs are made on these as well as on paper.
- 5 Three of a sort.

- 6 Working in concert.
- 7 Here you may hunt—for pies. (Two words, 6, 7).
- 10 These always upset brothers in a firm.
- 14 Levers made by a tool in an afterthought. Ware catches.
- 15 A salt for the artist in the case.
- 18 Preface that is over when half done.
- 20 The fool might as well be told, anyway.
- 21 Just a way of speaking.
- 22 Critical points when a rise has to be considered.
- 26 Sustenance.
- 27 Four letters for three.

Yesterday's Solution.

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GIRL PAT SKIPPERS' STORY OF OCEAN VOYAGE

'SHIP WAS TO BE GOT RID OF' HE SAYS

SKIPPER GEORGE BLACK ORSBORNE, giving evidence in the Girl Pat case at the Old Bailey, declared that Mr. Tom Moore, managing director of the trawler's owners, told him to take a ship out and "see she makes the biggest trip she has ever made."

"I understood he wanted to get rid of one of the ships," Orsborne told Mr. Christmas Humphreys, for the defence.

Skipper Orsborne (known as "Dod") is accused with his brother James of stealing the Girl Pat, owned by the Marstrand Fishing Company, of Grimsby.

Both plead not guilty to the charge which follows a six-weeks' voyage of ocean adventure.

George Frederick Jefferson, of Milford Haven, an engineer, said in evidence that Skipper Orsborne told him on April 3 that he would like to go to the west coast of Scotland and asked if the engines would be all right to stop at sea for five or six weeks. He (Jefferson) told him that they would.

Mr. Percy Scott, K.C., prosecuting, then called two directors of the Marstrand Fishing Company, who denied the suggestion made by Mr. Jefferson that the company was in financial difficulty.

Mr. Percy Scott asked Mr. Jack Vincent, a Grimsby fish merchant and a Marstrand director:

Did you ever hear of a suggestion from anybody that it would pay this company to lose a ship to get the insurance money?—It is perfectly ridiculous.

IN DOVER PATROL AT 14

George Orsborne, giving evidence, said he lived as a boy in Aberdeen. At 14 he went into the Navy by saying that he was 17½.

He volunteered for the Dover Patrol and served in it while he was still 14.

He left the Navy in December, 1919, and went home to Aberdeen, and worked on a farm. There he met Captain Wilkins, skipper at one time of the Cutty Sark. Captain Wilkins, who was then 86, persuaded him to go back to sea.

Later, he said, Mr. Moore told him he could have a half share in the Gipsy Love, and 15 per cent. of the net earnings; he had to find £100 as security.

"Alterations were made to the Gipsy Love and I sailed in her," continued Orsborne.

Mr. Moore said if it was not a success I was to go to a place called Ullapool, a small loch in the West Hebrides.

Mr. Justice Singleton: Did you go to Ullapool?—I took the ship home in disgust.

Mr. Christmas Humphreys (de-

Spanish Interlude

Skipper George Orsborne gave an explanation of how he came to give his name as "George Black" at Coreublon.

He had started to sign his name and had got as far as "Black" when a Spanish official said: "Sir, si, negro."

"I said 'Negro? No, Skipper,'" said Orsborne. "So I wrote down 'George Black, Skipper.'"

was rather generous in giving me boots and a quid sub."

FOUND ATLAS IN COAT POCKET

There was a chart on board covering the area from England to Iceland waters, but not giving anything south of the Royal Sovereign lightship.

He found an atlas belonging to his eldest boy in the pocket of his coat, and that was his only chart for the rest of the trip round the world.

On Jersey he told the men they would circle round the South Atlantic, back by the North Atlantic, and leave the ship in Grimsby.

Mr. Humphreys: Who was to pay for provisions on the way?—The Marstrand Company or Mr. Moore.

Why?—I thought he would not object. It would be a sort of punishment for asking us to take one of his ships out in the condition he did.

At Coreublon he said a Spaniard came on board and offered 16,000 pesetas and another ship he was using for smuggling for the Girl Pat. The offer was refused.

Orsborne had not finished his evidence when the trial was adjourned.

BURIED BY AVALANCHE OF GOLD

To be buried under between 500 and 600 tons of gold ore for 11 hours was the experience of Reuben Stokes, a gold miner at Kalgoorlie, Western Australia which is at present sharing in the Australian gold revival.

He was working in an ore pass leading from the surface of the mine to the 100 ft. level when the pass, following a shot to loosen the ore, became jammed. He went to investigate, the ore started to move and he was buried under an avalanche of gold, says Austral News.

GERMAN PITIES OUR "FREEDOM"

BRITONS are not really free—despite frequent claims to freedom. An almost cruel method is used to restrict their liberty.

So declares a German, Count Puckler, its London Correspondent, writing in the Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung.

The reason is, he says, that the Englishman has been trained up from childhood to think that "it is a crime to be different."

"This method of education," writes the Count (according to Reuters) "may seem to our taste to go too far, for it encroaches on every realm of personal life in which we are accustomed to greater freedom."

"But it is perfect for the creation of politically useful citizens. It is precisely in Germany that this is well recognised. It is all the more regrettable, therefore, that the Englishman should fail to understand our German methods."

"This may, in part, be due to the objection which the Englishman has to thinking. In the main, however, this lack of understanding is the bad side of the English method of education."

"A man who, from childhood, has been taught certain conceptions, and that it is a sign of bad taste and improper to depart from these conceptions will never be able to overcome an inner objection to all other points of view. The Englishman avoids everything that is foreign, and at the bottom of his heart considers the foreigner as always of less value."

That England is by no means the land of "absolute" freedom will be seen if one probes matters to the bottom, the article continues.

"If in other countries freedom

of the individual is restricted by laws and prohibitions, in England a much more fundamental, and one might almost say, more cruel method is used.

"That is the terror of an education which systematically destroys individualistic impulses and directs the thoughts and behaviour of the child so that it shall not be different from any other."

"It is useless and harmful when the slogan of freedom is used in England to build up something in contradiction to a Germany which is attempting, for the first time, to discipline traditional and exaggerated individualism."

Wedding March Banned

ROMAN Catholic churches in Ottawa diocese are forbidden to play or sing "God Save the King" during High Mass.

The ban is imposed in a Pastoral Letter issued by Archbishop Forbes.

Besides the National Anthem, the ban would include "O Canada" and favourite wedding marches and hymns used all over the world.

The following opinions on the Archbishop's ban were given to a London newspaper:

The R.C. Bishop of Brentwood, Dr. Arthur Doubleday: "I know nothing of the practice in Canada, but in all the churches in England it is customary to sing 'God Save the King' in Latin after Mass. I look on it as part of the service."

A high official of the Salvation Army: "We take any air or tune and put our own words to it."

Very Rev. William Foxley Norris, Dean of Westminster: "The Church of England regards the national anthem as quite proper in a church service."

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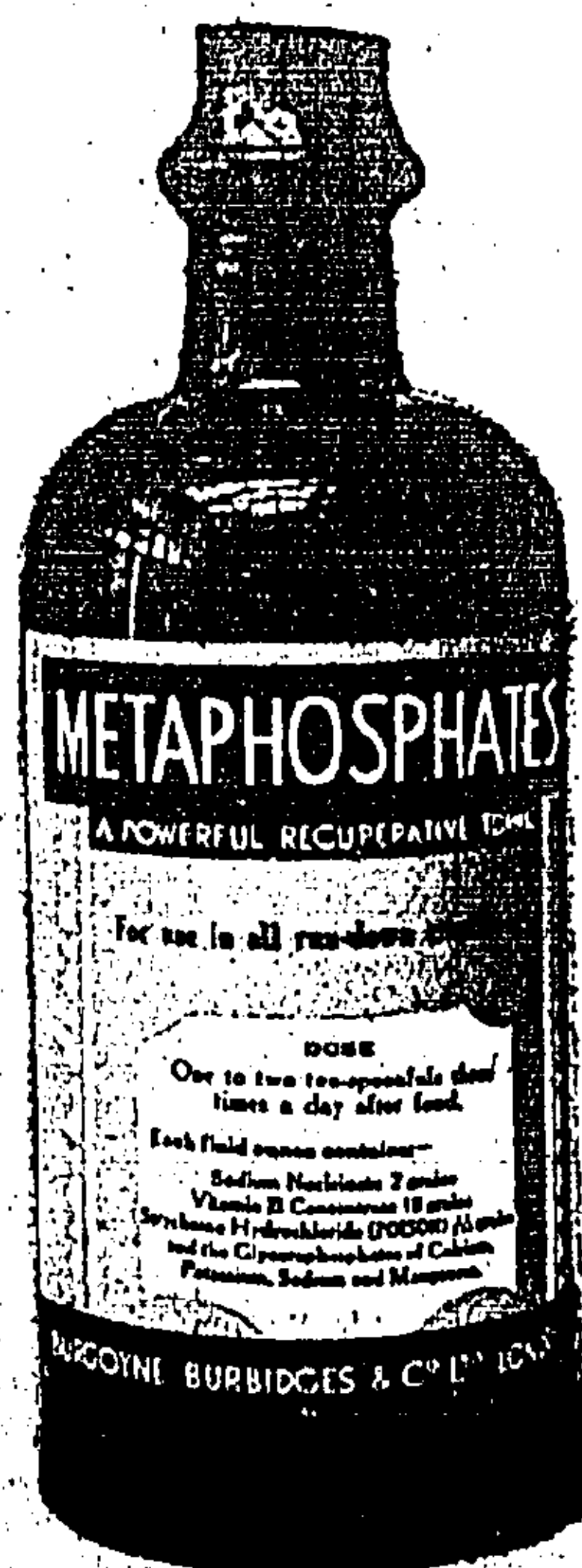
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U.S. COMMODITY
PRICESLATEST CABLED
QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuters.

New York Cotton			
December	11.73/74	11.84/85	
January	11.61/61	11.74/74	
March	11.55/56	11.73/76	
May	11.55/56	11.69/70	
July	11.45/46	11.58/58	
October	11.11/11	11.21/21	
Spot	12.10	12.29	

New York Rubber			
December	17.85/85	18.04/07	
January	17.85/85	18.00/00	
March	17.80/80	18.10/12	
May	17.94/95	18.13/13	
July	17.97/97	18.16/16	
September	18.01/01	18.18/20	
October	18.04/04	18.21/21	

Chicago Wheat			
December	110 1/2/110 3/4	118 1/2/118 3/4	
May	114 1/2/114 3/4	115 1/2/115 3/4	
July	109 1/2/109 1/2	102 1/2/102 1/2	
Saturday's sales:	14,892,000 bushels.		

Chicago Corn			
December	102 1/2/102 3/4	103 1/2/103 3/4	
May	85 1/2/85 3/4	86 1/2/86 3/4	
July	91 1/2/91 3/4	92 1/2/92 3/4	

Winnipeg Wheat			
November	108 1/2/108 1/2	109/109	
December	105 1/2/105 1/2	106 1/2/106 1/2	
May	107 1/2/107 1/2	107 1/2/107 1/2	

AMATEUR ACTING

(Continued from Page 6.)

ing and the relation between the actor and his audience. As I have said before, the treatment will necessarily be concise, and I shall try to include only points of prime importance. The details can be filled in by further study of specialised books. Questions of production and stage-management will not enter into these articles at all, but they should be studied by the actor who wishes to have a comprehensive knowledge of his art.

The voice is an instrument just as much as the violin or the piano, and there is a right and a wrong way of using it. Instead of straining, the voice has vocal cords, and instead of fingers or a bow, the player uses his tongue, teeth, lips, and lungs.

Correct breathing is the first essential of correct speaking. The sounds are pushed out of the mouth, as it were, by the breath, and the only effective way of increasing volume in speech is by using more breath. The ordinary method of breathing through the nose is sufficient for stage purposes, and must be supplemented by abdominal breathing.

This means that the action of the lungs, usually brought about by drawing in the sides of the chest, must be assisted by drawing in the stomach. The amount of breath thus inhaled is too great to be taken in by the lungs, and the mouth must be slightly opened to allow free passage for the air. Take a deep breath before each sentence, and let it out evenly and economically, replenishing the supply at every possible pause. If the text of the part is badly punctuated, you may find it necessary to insert pauses of your own. Do not let these be too frequent, and avoid taking in breath in short gasps. At every full stop or long pause, take a very deep breath before proceeding.

But the Open Window

The lungs will have to be exercised regularly until they are accustomed to this concentrated use. Apart entirely from stage practice, deep breathing is a very important factor in the possession of a healthy body, which incidentally is an absolute necessity to the actor. Deep breathing exercises, accompanied by arm raising and lowering, as taught in all physical training systems, should be done in front of an open window, every morning.

In this way a strong and healthy breathing system will be developed which will, as well as giving the actor a strong instrument to play on, materially assist in removing nose troubles which so often affect the speech of people living in congested and smoky districts. You must always be conscious of your breathing, until correct use of the organs becomes quite automatic and natural.

Next.—Enunciation, Resonance, Pronunciation, Variety in Speech, Inflection, Tone.

Under the auspices of the Java-China-Japan Line, a film on Netherlands India will be screened in the King's Theatre at 11.15 a.m. tomorrow.

FOUNDRYMAN'S DEATH
STRUCK BY FLYING PIECE OF
IRON

A Coroner's inquest was held by Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistrate's yesterday afternoon, into the circumstances surrounding the death of a foundryman, Sze Kuen, aged 21 years, who succumbed to injuries received when a piece of iron fell on his head while he was at work in the foundry of the Talkoo Dockyard on October 21.

The jury, comprising Messrs. F. Lopez (foreman), Wong Po-lin and M. Kunhiro, returned a verdict of accidental death.

Inspector O'Connor, officer-in-charge of the Shaukiwan Police Station, represented the Police.

Dr. G. H. Thomas, of the Government Civil Hospital, stated that the cause of death was a fractured skull and injury to the brain. The injuries were consistent with something hard having struck the deceased on his head.

Mr. G. T. Bird, head watchman at the Talkoo Dockyard, said that about 3 p.m. on October 21 he was called to the surgery to attend to the deceased, who was a foundryman. He found that the man was suffering from an injury to his head, and was semi-conscious. The injured man was sent to the Government Civil Hospital.

Iron From Propeller

A piece of iron (produced in Court) was handed to him by a workman as being the cause of the injury to the deceased. Witness said he visited the foundry and was shown a hole in the roof through which the piece of iron was stated to have come. The deceased had been working exactly underneath the hole in the roof. On making further enquiries, he found that the piece of iron had come from a place where a propeller was being broken up. This was outside the foundry, and about 25 feet away from the foundry wall. The propeller was being broken up by a crane hoisting an iron weight of about one and a half tons. The crane is worked automatically and no one stands near it when the weight drops.

Iron had been broken up in this way for the last 27 years, and as far as witness could remember there had never been an accident before. The dump formed by the iron scrap there was 15 to 16 feet high, and acted as a safety screen. The roofing of the foundry was of corrugated asbestos sheeting, and the height of the foundry was about fifty feet. The piece of iron must have travelled a distance of 35 feet horizontally and 60 feet vertically. Safety precautions were taken by two men when iron was being broken up, and workmen were warned not to approach the place.

Sin Wah, the crane driver, said he had been driving the crane at the Talkoo Dockyard for the last four years, and had been working on the crane used that afternoon since last year. He had never known pieces of iron to fly more than two or three feet when the weight dropped, and had never known a piece of iron to fly 65 feet into the air and drop 35 feet away from the breaking place.

NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGE
MARKET UPWARD
YESTERDAY

New York, Nov. 16. S. C. & F. Dow Jones summary of yesterday's markets:—Prices to-day advanced after nearly a week's steady advance. Coppers recovered smartly. Gains in utilities were a feature of late trading. Steels were again in demand. Ralls gained slightly. Many new high levels were registered, although the averages were still under the tops reached after the Election. The Bonds Market and the Curb Exchange were both higher.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment:—Retail auto-sales at the show are much ahead of those of last year. Net earnings of railroads for this year are likely to be the best since 1930. The failure of dividend declarations to influence prices suggests that speculative pessimism is being discounted for the time being. Professional traders at present are mostly bearish. There has been much demand for amusement shares from within the industry itself.

S. C. & F. New York office cables:—Stocks: Stocks to-day were in demand. Retail auto-sales are bullish for the outlook. The price of lead advanced by two dollars per ton. The Times business index for the week was 101.2 as compared with 101.1 for last week and 90.9 for the same week of last year.

Wheat: The mills are reported to be buyers for December. Cash premiums are steadier in most markets. Crop reports from Australia and the Argentine are excellent. There has been a visible decrease of 1,118,000 bushels.

Corn: The weather is ideal for the movement of the crop and for the completion of husking, but the country is not pressing supplies and the cash position is steady. There has been a visible decrease in supplies of 759,000 bushels.

Rubber: Outside interest is increasing and a substantial demand from dealers is reported. English stocks have decreased by 993 tons.

REUTERS QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:			
	Nov. 14.	Nov. 16.	
30 Industrials	181.45	182.65	
20 Ralls	56.02	56.30	
20 Utilities	33.93	34.80	
40 Bonds	105.41	105.49	
11 Commodity Index	70.05	71.33	

He knew nothing about the accident until some time after it had happened.

After Sze Ting, father of the deceased, had given evidence of identification, Mr. Schofield summed-up the chief points in the evidence, and stated that as the crane driver had stated he had never known iron to fly in that way, they could discard the question of blame.

NOTICE

In connection with the Dysentery epidemic we beg to advise that from to-day and until further notice all Milk and Cream supplied by this Company will be Pasteurized.

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CINEMA
NOTES

It was peculiarly fortunate that when Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer determined to produce the picture called "His Brother's Wife," W. S. Van Dyke was available to direct it. The picture is at the King's Theatre to-day with Hollywood's most romantic team, Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Taylor, heading a remarkably fine cast. Van Dyke, of course, is a veteran not only of the camera but of the stage, and his direction of the picture is a masterpiece of the tropic wilderness. Van Dyke has resorted to his indelible memory of the steaming interior to produce an effect of realism that is truly astounding. Robert Taylor, now the screen's most popular young star of the muscled ranks, has a daring role that he portrays with the daring it demands. He appears as a scientific explorer who falls in love with a beautiful redheaded girl on his last fling in civilisation. His brother urges the boy to forget the girl and marry his wife, but the explorer, who is essentially himself, and another understanding portrayal of villain is offered by the suave Joseph Calleia.

"Mary of Scotland"
A historic tale which is vivid romance, suspense and exciting action matches any fiction is that of "Mary of Scotland" which R.K.O. Radio brings to the screens of the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres for the last time to-day, starring Katharine Hepburn and Fredric March. Arch rival of the powerful Elizabeth of England, the Scottish beauty was the target of constant intrigue from across her border, and of murderous treachery on the part of her own nobles. And as turbulent as the blood-stained traces of her court was her personal life, upset by the necessity of choosing between marrying the weakling Darnley to strengthen her claim to England's crown or yielding to the ardent courtship of the Earl of Bothwell. Drawn from Maxwell Anderson's stage hit, the picture shows the days when Mary wavered between royal duties and feminine desire and the tumultuous romantic drama that came when she proved more a woman than a monarch. Supporting Miss Hepburn as Mary Stuart and March as the handsome hot-head Bothwell are Florence Eldridge as Elizabeth, Douglas Walton as Darnley and John Carradine as Rizzio, at the head of a cast of forty well-known players. Directed by John Ford.

"Klondike Annie"
From the perfumed, silk-cushioned boudoirs of a Barbary Coast gambling-dive to the frozen reaches of the Arctic Circle may seem like a far jump, but the grand gas Mike West, does it easily, and as gracefully as ever, in "Klondike Annie," her new film, which is showing to-day at the Majestic Theatre. And whether she's draped in a clinging negligee or bundled up in a warm fur parka, but she stays on in the Klondike, adopting, to throw the police off her track, the name and reputation of "Sister Annie," an evangelist who has died on the way North. Mae's revival meetings are the talk of all Alaska—torch songs, chorus numbers and everything that goes to make a swell song-and-dance production, and suddenly, "Sister Annie" realises that the man with whom she's in love, Jack Forrest (Phillip Reed), a Federal agent who has been assigned to locate the missing gambling-house gal, is deeply in love with her! "Sister Annie" wants to marry Jack, but just as she's about to accept his proposal, she realises that it would be unfair and she takes Bull's offer. They're so much better suited to each other—both of them want a mate who'll be a good sparring partner, and in this combination, they'll both have what they need. "Klondike Annie" is splendid entertainment—every member of the cast is perfect in his role, and Mae West has been given the opportunity to display an additional, and entirely new brand of humour, which will keep the loyalty of all her old fans, and add many new ones.

Christmas
Advertising

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POST OFFICE.

NEW YEAR PARCEL MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN
The New Year Parcel Mail for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, November 18, per s.s. Patroclus.
This mail is due to arrive at London on December 23.

CHRISTMAS LETTER MAIL FOR GREAT
BRITAIN "VIA SUEZ"

The Christmas Letter Mail for Great Britain via Suez will be closed in the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office on the 20th November, per s.s. Yasukuni Maru as follows:
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VIA SIBERIA ROUTE

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

Japan	Tokyo Maru	November 16.
Straits	Tremor	November 17.
Shanghai	Patroclus	November 18.
direct Service—London date, 7th November.		
Straits	R.M.A. Dorado	November 17.
Shanghai	Toyama Maru	November 17.
Australia and Manila	Klungchow	November 18.
Halifax	Atsuta Maru	November 19.
Canada, U.S.A. Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 1st November)	Canton	November 19.
Japan	Emp. of Russia	November 19.
Amoy	Santos Maru	November 19.
Japan and Shanghai	Shirala	November 19.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 20th October)	Chichibu Maru	November 20.
Shanghai	General Pershing	November 20.
Straits	Gneisenau	November 20.
Manila	Nagato Maru	November 20.
Straits and Europe via Negapatam	Pres. Lincoln	November 20.
Letters and Papers London 22nd October		
Japan and Manila	Fushimi Maru	November 21.
Shanghai	Tilsondori	November 21.
Straits and Manila	Victoria	November 21.
Straits	Ajax	November 22.
Straits	Conte Rosso	November 22.
Straits	Toba Maru	November 22.
Calcutta and Straits	Santhia	November 24.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Letters and papers London 25th October and London Parcels, London 22nd October)		
October	Comorin	November 26.
Saigon	Roggeveen	November 26.
Straits	Somali	November 26.
Japan	Kamo Maru	November 27.
Japan and Shanghai	Atsuta Maru	November 27.
Straits	Pres. Doumer	November 27.
Manila	Tungo Maru	November 27.
Japan	Tokwa Maru	November 27.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	November 29.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per Tuesday.	Date and Time.
Haiphong	Ninghai	Tues., Nov. 17, Noon.
Airmail for Canton and Districts	C.N.A.C. Flane	Tues., Nov. 17, Noon.
	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	
	Reg.,	Nov. 17, Noon.
	Letters,	Nov. 17, 12.30 p.m.
Shanghai and *Europe via Siberia	Calchas	Tues., Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Halyang	Tues., Nov. 17, 2 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Tues., Nov. 17, 4 p.m.
Swatow and Amoy	Cremor	Tues., Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
Formosa	Hosang	Tues., Nov. 17, 5.00 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Foochow via Swatow	Nanning	Wed., Nov. 18, 8.30 a.m.
Straits and *Europe via Marselles	Patroclus	Wed., Nov. 18, 5 p.m.
and London Parcels—due London (23rd December)		
(Due Marselles, 17th December).	Parcels,	Nov. 18, 10 a.m.
	Reg.,	Nov. 18, 1.45 p.m.
	Letters,	Nov. 18, 2.30 p.m.
"Straits and Calcutta"	Suisang	Wed., Nov. 18.
Parcels,	Nov. 18, Noon	Letters, Nov. 18, 1.00 p.m.
Amoy	Tainara	Wed., Nov. 18, 2.30 p.m.
Airmail for Swatow, Amoy, Foochow and N. China (via Shanghai)	C.N.A.C. plane	Wed., Nov. 18.
	Shengwan P. O.	
	Reg.,	Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
	Letters,	Nov. 17, 7 p.m.
	G. P. O.	
	Reg.,	Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
	Letters,	Nov. 18, 5 a.m.

Thursday.			
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and South Africa,	Santos Maru	Thurs., Nov. 19, 2.30 p.m.	
Manila	Emp. of Russia	Thurs., Nov. 19, 5 p.m.	
Japan	Atsuta Maru	Thurs., Nov. 19, 5 p.m.	
Foochow via Swatow	Fooching	Thurs., Nov. 19, 5 p.m.	
Friday.			
Letters for Imperial Airways Direct Service—due London, 30th Nov.	R.M.A. Dorado	Fri., Nov. 20.	
	G.P.O. and K.F.O.		
	Reg.,	Nov. 20, 5 p.m.	
	Letters,	Nov. 20, 8.30 a.m.	
Letters for "Australia by Imperial Airways Service"—due Darwin 24th November.	R.M.A. Dorado	Fri., Nov. 20.	
	G.P.O. and K.F.O.		
	Reg.,	Nov. 20, 5 p.m.	
	Letters,	Nov. 20, 8.30 a.m.	
Sandakan	Hinsang	Fri., Nov. 20, 9.30 a.m.	
Letters for "K.L.M. Service" (Due Amsterdam, 30th November)	Yasukuni Maru	Fri., Nov. 20.	
	G. P. O. and K. P. O.		
	Reg.,	Nov. 20, 12.30 p.m.	
	Letters,	Nov. 20, 2.30 p.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marselles.	Yasukuni Maru	Fri., Nov. 20.	
(Due Marselles, 16th December).			
Holhow, Pakhoi and *Haliphong	Klungchow	Fri., Nov. 20, 2 p.m.	
Manila and *Europe via Marselles	Gneisenau	Fri., Nov. 20.	
and Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg.			
(Due Marselles, 13th December).	Reg.,	Nov. 20, 3.45 p.m.	
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., C. and S. Pres. Lincoln	Letters,	Nov. 20, 4.30 p.m.	
America, *Canada and *Europe via San Francisco and *Europe via Siberia.	Parcels,	Nov. 20, 4 p.m.	
(Due San Francisco, 10th Dec.)	Reg.,	Nov. 20, 5.30 p.m.	
Saturday.			
Haiphong	Canton	Sat., Nov. 21, 2 p.m.	
Holhow, Pakhoi and *Haliphong	Klungchow	Sat., Nov. 21, 2 p.m.	
Manila, Straits, Ceylon, India, Aden, Victoria, Egypt and *Europe via Naples (Due Naples, 12th December).	G.P.O. and K.F.O.	Sat., Nov. 21.	
	Reg.,	Nov. 21, 2.15 p.m.	
	Letters,	Nov. 21, 3 p.m.	
Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Fushimi Maru	Sat., Nov. 21, 3.30 p.m.		
Amoy	Kwangchow	Sat., Nov. 21, 3.30 p.m.	
Foochow	Szechuen	Sat., Nov. 21, 4.30 p.m.	
Sunday.			
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hongkong Maru	Sun., Nov. 22, 9 a.m.	
Wednesday.			
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A. Central and South America and *Europe via San Francisco and *Europe via Siberia	Chichibu Maru	Wed., Nov. 25.	
(Due San Francisco 10th, Dec.)	Reg.,	Nov. 24, 5 p.m.	
	Letters,	Nov. 25, 8.30 a.m.	

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EXCHANGE RATES

	Nov. 13	Nov. 16
Paris	105.9/04	105.9/04
Geneva	21.22 1/2	21.20 1/2
Berlin	12.12 1/2	12.15
Athens	545	545
Milan	92 1/2	92 1/2
Copenhagen	22.40	22.40
Stockholm	19.39 1/2	19.39 1/2
Shanghai	1/2 1/2	1/2 1/2
New York	4.88 1/2	4.88 1/2
Amsterdam	0.05 1/2	0.05 1/2
Vienna	26 1/2	26 1/2
Prague	137 1/2	138 1/2
Madrid	Nom.	Nom.
Lisbon	110 1/2	110 1/2
Hongkong	1/2	1/2
Bombay	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2
Montreal	4.87 1/2	4.87 1/2
Brussels	28.86	28.82
Yokohama	1/2.1/32	1/2.1/32
Belgrade	213	213
Monte Video	39 1/2	39 1/2
Rio	44	44
Bucharest	600 1/2	600 1/2
Silver (forward)	21	21 1/2
Silver (Spot)	21	21 1/2
War Loan	100 1/2	100 1/2

—British Wireless.

One case each of Diphtheria and Chicken-pox were reported to the local Health authorities during the week-end.

Speed Record Cracked

L.M.S. TRAIN SETS NEW MARK

London, Nov. 16. A world speed record for a 400 miles run was broken to-day when a London, Midland and Scottish train did the 401.5 miles between Euston and Glasgow in five hours 32 minutes.

There was intense excitement among the passengers and train crew and the many spectators who lined the route. The latter waved and cheered at every station.

The train touched over 95 miles per hour and frequently exceeded 90 miles per hour. It never travelled below 55 miles per hour. It ascended the steep Penrith gradient at 63 miles per hour.

The train was a relatively light one.—Reuter Special.

MUSICAL TREAT AT MACAO

PROFESSOR ORE AND MISS BARRETO

Macao, Nov. 16. Music-lovers in Macao were splendidly entertained with classical pianoforte selections at a recital given by Professor Harry Ore and Miss Marina Barreto at the Saloon of the Macao Club on Sunday evening.

In the first part of the concert, Professor Ore displayed complete mastery of his art in the skilful rendition of Intermezzo (Brahms) and "Second Rhapsody" (Liszt) of his own composition. Miss Barreto combined with Professor Ore in the agreeable presentation on two pianos of Concerto Duetto from Mozart (Busoni), Dance of Death (Saint Saens) and the Anthem of the Coimbra University (O'Neill). Played by special request, the last of these was particularly well received. To not a few of the gathering, the piece recalled close associations with their Alma Mater, the leading educational institution in distant Portugal.

In the second part of the programme, the duettists presented Romance, Op. 51 (Grieg) and Suite, Op. 15-Romance, Valse and Polonaise (Arensky), which were much appreciated.

In two excellent pianoforte solos, Prelude (Debussy) and Concerto Study "A Sigh" (Liszt), Miss Marina Barreto was warmly applauded. In the delicacy of touch and the gracefulness of expression Miss Barreto expressed a musical talent of no mean order. It is learned that the accomplished exponent completed her musical education in Paris after three years under the able tuition of Madame Marguerite Long.

It is not often that residents of Macao are delighted by two versatile artists the one complementing the other, and that Macao is devoted to good music was amply demonstrated in the packed house to hear pianists with whom they have become acquainted by tuning in to Hongkong radio broadcasts.—Our Own Correspondent.

SINO-JAPANESE CO-OPERATION

Shanghai, Nov. 17. Mr. Li Shi-hao to-day left for Peiping to attend the inaugural ceremonies of the Huitung Company, a joint Sino-Japanese organisation, for the operation of an air service between North China and Manchukuo.

During his trip south Mr. Li will interview Marshal Chiang Kai-shek at Loyang and other Government members at Nanking.—Reuter.

BANNING POLITICAL UNIFORMS

(Continued from Page 1.)

growth of groups, sometimes in uniform, sometimes carrying weapons, who, by overbearing and insulting behaviour and by organised rowdiness, were threatening to undermine British freedom.

The Government asked the House to deal with the situation now, before it developed into something more serious and difficult, by laying down, in statutory form, rules which ought to apply, and then leaving breaches of the law to be dealt with by the courts.

Explaining the main provisions of the Bill, Sir John Simon said the uniform clause provides, subject to certain limitations, that it shall be an offence to wear political uniforms in public. It was the unanimous view of the Chiefs of Police in the areas principally affected that the wearing of political uniforms was a source of special provocation. It was the view, too, adopted in a good many countries, Sweden, Norway, Finland, Denmark, Switzerland and Holland, where the law had been changed for the same purpose. No statutory definition of uniform was offered in the Bill. Prosecution under this clause could only take place with the authority of the Attorney General. This ensured that the law would be reasonably and uniformly applied and private prosecutions ruled out.

With regard to the clause in the Bill dealing with processions, he noted that there was no general prohibition of them, but power was taken to control the route of processions.—British Wireless.

23 Killed In Explosion

Marseilles, Nov. 16.

A violent explosion to-day wrecked the St. Chamas powder factory and claimed 23 lives, according to early estimates.

As many as 300 persons are believed to have been injured.

Telegraph and telephone communication is disrupted.—United Press.

COMING ART EXHIBITION BY LOCAL CHINESE ARTIST

Readers may be interested to note that Mr. Wong Siu-ling, well-known local artist, is holding a one-man show of his work at Hotel Cecil on December 2, 3 and 4 before his departure for Singapore next month. A preview has been fixed at 4 p.m. on Monday, December 1, at which His Excellency Sir Andrew and Lady Caldecott will attend.

It will be remembered that in September last year Mr. Wong was commissioned by the management of the Hotel Cecil to complete a mural painting. The work took him three months, and will be shown as a special feature together with his other works in oils and water colours amounting to about 80.

The exhibition is sponsored by the Hongkong Working Artists' Guild of No. 51 Gloucester Road, Wanchai.

U.S. GOODWILL VISIT

Singapore, Nov. 17. The United States Asiatic fleet arrived here to-day on a goodwill visit, the U.S.S. Augusta firing a salute and H.M.S. Danae replying.

DORADO DUE TO-DAY

The Imperial Airways liner Dorado, bringing European mails, left Taurane at dawn this morning and is due in Hongkong at 11.15 a.m.

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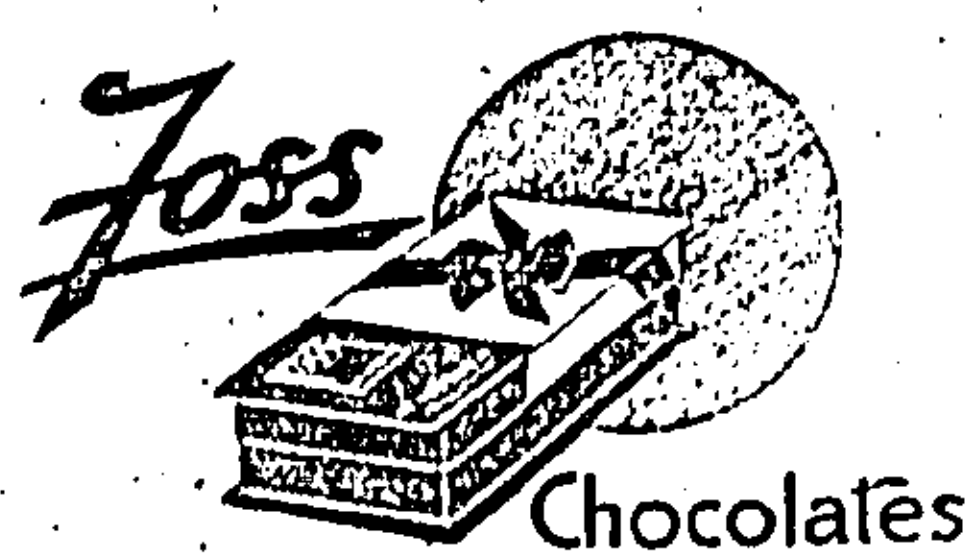
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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1936

THE DYSENTERY OUTBREAK

That the community generally and mothers in particular, should have become gravely concerned over the outbreak of infantile dysentery, which has taken such a heavy toll of children of European parentage, occasions no surprise. Never within our recollection has the Colony been subjected to such a heavy incidence of mortality amongst such children from an outbreak of this character. The epidemic broke out with startling suddenness, and, at first, before its seriousness became apparent, there was a tendency in health circles to regard it as nothing worse than a seasonal outbreak. It has since been shown, however, to be much more than that. The fact that dysentery is not a notifiable disease has doubtless been a factor in increasing the difficulty of tracing its precise origin. It is most probable that the outbreak was due to a common cause which, for one reason or another, had largely disappeared by the time the seriousness of the outbreak became evident. The disease often has its origin in contaminated water, but, as Dr. Pope has pointed out, this can hardly have been the case in the present epidemic which has touched areas widely separated and not drawing their water supply from the same source. Similarly, fruit and vegetables seem to be ruled out, as so many of the fatal cases have been among children who, by reason of their tender years, do not normally have these comestibles in their diet. Milk could easily be the cause of the outbreak, of course, but we understand that the authorities have not yet definitely established the source of the trouble. It may be that they never will be able to do so with absolute certainty. In some countries the pasteurization of milk and cream is made compulsory by law, and, on the principle that prevention is better than cure, the authorities here might well consider applying that requirement to all dairies in the Colony. The making of dysentery a notifiable disease might also be of value in enabling the authorities to get quickly on to possible sources of infection when outbreaks occur. The public is certainly not satisfied with conditions as they are. It is therefore the duty of the authorities to give close study to the origin of the present scourge and to take such measures as will, as far as humanly possible, prevent a recurrence of the tragic happenings of the past week.

I WONDER how many young social enthusiasts there are to-day to whom the phrase "Nonconformist conscience," or the name of John Clifford, means anything.

Yet the centenary celebrations of the birth of this great Victorian preacher, reformer, educationist and politician, which are being held in London this week should be of profound significance not only to Free Churchmen to-day, but to all who have the cause of social righteousness at heart.

To know John Clifford and his work is to enter a realm of Nonconformist outlook, and activity, in relation to human problems, that constitutes a tremendous challenge to those who have come after him.

In this realm were men like Rev. Hugh Price Hughes, Dr. Parker and many others, as well as Dr. Clifford himself, who by their courage and enterprise created in Nonconformity a powerful weapon with which to combat the social evils that they saw around them.

They thundered against the drink evil, and the increased sobriety in great cities to-day is in no small measure due to their efforts.

In collaboration with that great humanist, W. T. Stead, they unmasked licentiousness and vice in the West End of London.

They championed their hardy-won Nonconformist liberties, even

To-day's Thought
 EVERYONE is ignorant, only
 about different subjects.
 —WILL ROGERS.

AMATEUR ACTING

ACTING is, essentially, the art of appearing to be what you are not, and the desire to act is inherent in nearly all human beings. Most children delight in dressing up and imitating their favourite heroes or their elders, but that does not mean that they are "born actors". There are no born actors any more than there are born doctors or born accountants. Acting is an art and must be learnt. It has an intricate technique, and a mechanical background which can be acquired only by study and practice.

I hope, in these articles, to lay down some elementary lines on which this study can be pursued, and because of the necessity of compression in newspaper material my choice of subjects is purely arbitrary. I do not pretend to get out here a "system" of acting. Such a thing is not possible, and if it were, several large volumes would be required to do justice to the subject.

Ever since the art of acting developed from the primitive tribal dances of our very distant ancestors, there have been amateurs as well as professionals, and since the sixteenth century amateurs have had a profound influence on the development of the theatre as we know it. Such famous stage people as Moliere, Ole Bull, Ibsen, Antoine, and Stanislavsky started as amateurs.

An Important Factor

The whole of the great Norwegian tradition of acting is built on the work of amateurs; the Moscow Arts Theatre was started by amateurs, and it was a band of amateurs who evolved the acting and production techniques of the Abbey Theatre, Dublin—the forerunner of the "Little

to the point of passive resistance in the case of Clifford himself, in the great educational controversies that raged from 1891 to 1903.

Most significant of all, against a background of Liberalism, they were the friends of the poor and the dispossessed.

They made the question of a living wage a vital issue for every Free Churchman.

In the great dock strike of 1889, in which Cardinal Manning played such a magnificent part, their pulpits rang with the claim for the dockers' "tanner," while through them the Christian duty to alleviate the poverty and destitution of industrial

England became the first charge upon every enlightened Free Churchman.

"Hold prayer meetings by all means, but do not forget to build artisans' dwellings as well." Such a phrase as this from the lips of Clifford himself was the text of Nonconformist preaching. Read about Dr. Clifford and his colleagues, you Nonconformists of to-day, and you may well be tempted to reflect that the social conscience which they educated and made vocal has become flaccid and inoperative now.

They prophesied, we confer. They were pioneers, we are all too often camp followers.

In this year of grace do you think it matters very much what the Free Churches think? One thing is certain. Whether you believe Nonconformity is still a great social force or whether you

Words in Season to the Beginner By GERARD FAY

Theatre" as we call it to-day in Great Britain and America.

Experts estimate that there are between fifteen and twenty thousand amateur acting bodies in Britain to-day, and there must be upwards of two million people directly interested in them. The amateur stage is, then, a most important factor in the culture and amusement of this country, and it is worthy of being taken very seriously.

The problem of finding a suitable stage to act on, and good teachers to work with is a very difficult one for most amateurs, and many of them in small towns can only join the single amateur society there and make the best of whatever conditions are to be found, or choose some other outlet for their artistic desires. The ultimate aim of a conscientious amateur should be to join a well conducted Little Theatre with competent producers and good equipment, but if this is impossible it does not mean that he or she must be content with mediocrity, for if there is a stage to act on, and pupils to teach, there are all the materials needed for training in acting.

Study of Acting

There are hundreds of good books on amateur acting, and it would be extremely difficult for me to mention a fair proportion of them here. In order to avoid invidious choice, I shall not refer to any by name, but will very gladly give lists on parti-

cular and general aspects of acting to anybody who cares to write, though I cannot undertake to reply to any letter which does not contain return postage.

Apart from stage practice, and tuition by experts, the best methods of studying acting are reading and watching good actors. Books are available to all, at reasonable prices, or if a good library is at hand, free. The professional stage is in such a sad state to-day that unfortunately the same can't be said of "watching." Only the large provincial towns and cities have any theatres worth speaking of, and opportunities of watching high-class professional companies are few and far between. In this respect, the London amateur has a great advantage over his country colleague. Most beginners will have to rely on watching the work of more experienced amateurs for this part of their study.

Do not make the mistake of thinking you can learn anything of stage technique from the cinema—it is an entirely different art, and even experienced stage players have to relearn their whole business when they go on the films. There is, however, much to be learnt of diction and vocal expression from good film actors, and useful hints on deportment may be obtained from seeing good costume films.

Breathing Drill

For the purposes of this series I have divided the elements of acting technique into five main headings:—Talking, Walking, Facial expression, Gesture, and Make-up.

I shall deal with these matters in the order given above, and add more comments on different types of acting. (Continued on Page 4.)

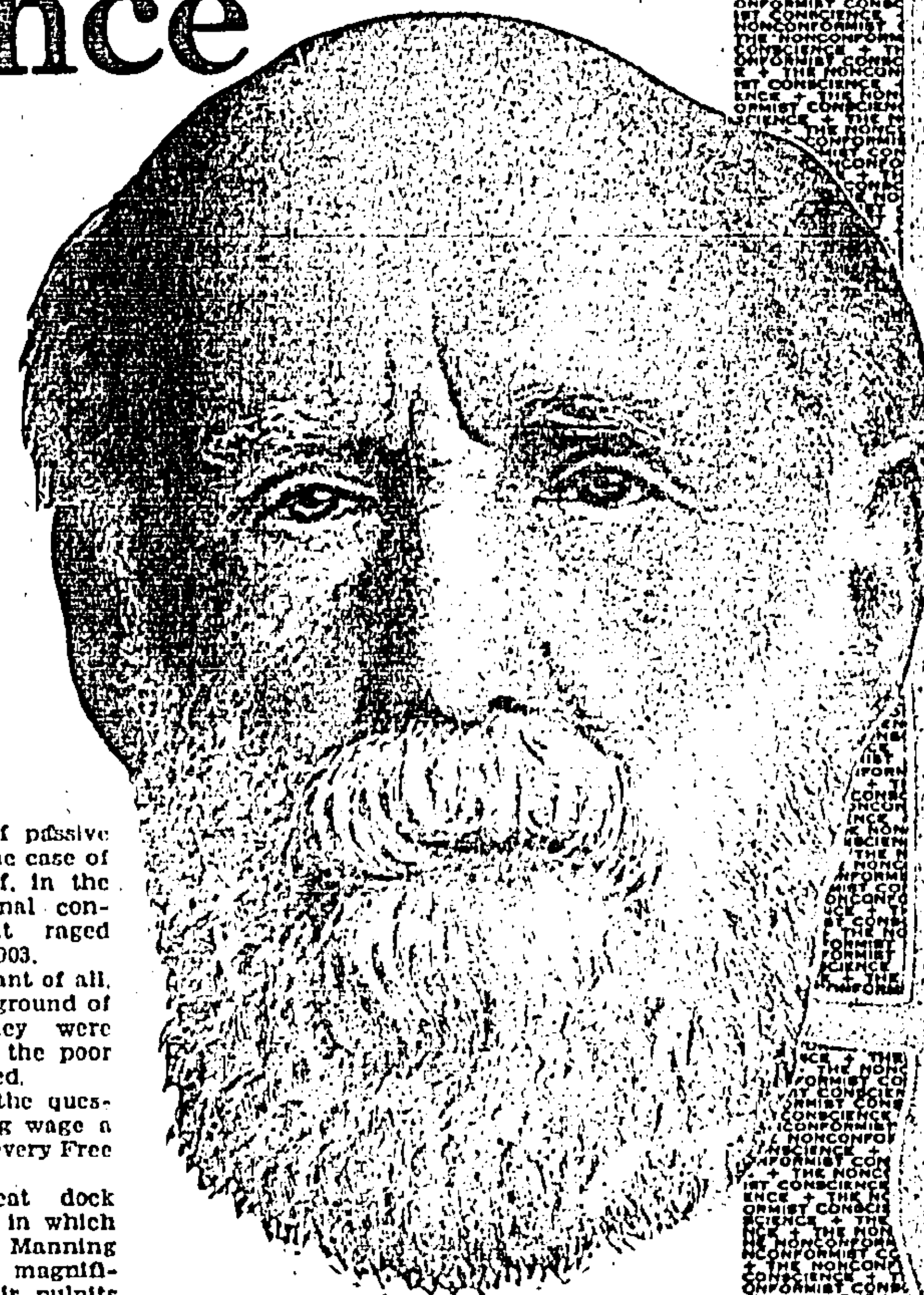
WHAT IS TO-DAY'S Nonconformist Conscience

"Is the Nonconformist conscience, that fine flower of the Victorian era, as sensitive as of old?"

—Bishop Barnes, of Birmingham,
 addressing the Congregational Union

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answered by
 The Rev. Dr.
 Donald O. Soper



John Clifford (born 1836, died 1923) "created in Nonconformity a powerful weapon with which to combat social evils."

deplete its effectiveness, the need for the spirit of these men and their uncompromising leadership is greater than ever.

If John Clifford and Hugh Price Hughes were beginning their ministry to-day they would still recognise the enemies against whom they fought so valiantly in the 19th century.

But the Liberalism in which they were nurtured and which they so stoutly defended must to-day be interpreted in the light of Fascism and Communism.

The march of events since John Clifford's greatest achievements in the latter years of the nineteenth century has revealed the problems that he so valiantly faced in their true context, and shown them to be the symptoms of far deeper issues.

The Nonconformist conscience to-day must pronounce upon the very social order in which nominally Christian communities are living.

What appeared to the Free Church leaders of the nineteenth century to be matters for reformation confront us as demands for revolution. We can no longer believe that the Kingdom of God will be ours if and when the capitalist machine is administered by Christian capitalists proceeding upon the principles of the Sermon on the Mount.

No country, not even Britain, can continue to seek world brotherhood in the name of a Heavenly Father while it retains the ethics of Imperialism. Above all, the lesson must be quickly learned, or else it will be too late, that there is no righteous way of firing a machine-gun or of dropping a bomb. There is no just war, and the "soldier-saint" is a contradiction in terms.

I believe there are multitudes of good Church-going folk who realise the crisis which organised Christianity is facing and are ready to move forward to new and dangerous positions in the campaign for peace and brotherhood.

With all their failures I cannot agree with those that tell us the Churches have forfeited their right to a place in the van of human progress.

Speaking as a Nonconformist, and I have no right to speak with any authority except as a Nonconformist, I feel sure that there are as many to-day as ever those who would be prepared to venture everything in a cause which they believe to be God's cause. They are known as "Free Churchmen" and desire to make that freedom real and effectual.

We are confident because we believe in God that peace and plenty could be enjoyed by all if His will was being done. In that confidence I want to see the Nonconformist conscience insisting that all God's creatures are entitled to the necessities of life whatever may be their merit or economic value.

Therefore we cannot rest until industry and commerce are co-operatively organised to that end. I want the Free Churches to repudiate war in every form, Imperialism, civil or League of Nations, as a human practice which is iniquitous in itself.

Finally, I look forward to an awakening on the part of all Christians to the larger vision of a world no longer split up into nation States and Imperial groups, but forsaking these divisive power policies, that in their place may arise the co-operative commonwealth.

This Vision Of The Future May Happen To-Morrow

Half The R.A.F. Bombed Out Of Existence In Ten Minutes

HOW 18 PLANES CAN DESTROY BRITAIN

AN AIR EXPERT'S WARNING

IN LESS THAN TEN MINUTES NEARLY HALF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE OF BRITAIN WAS BOMBED OUT OF EXISTENCE—(AN EXTRACT FROM FICTION WHICH CAN EASILY BECOME FACT).

It happened at four o'clock on a brilliant Saturday afternoon in June. The occasion was Henden Air Display, when the aerial might of Britain was shown to an admiring populace.

Only 18 enemy planes delivered the attack.

The whole south of England had been so accustomed to plane movements that the strangers got through unnoticed.

Suddenly there was commotion among spectators. The band stopped.

Above the surrounding din of many engines was heard the staccato note of machine-guns.

PANIC
The multitude swayed and struggled to get away.

In the middle of the field eight British machines were burning on the ground. The rest scattered, intent on gaining the nearest aerodrome, aiming and returning.

Bombs fell, explosives up to 600lb., gas bombs, and a great quantity of 6lb. incendiaries.

The affair lasted no longer than ten minutes.

The hostile planes, in three flights, each in line abreast, thrice crossed the death field with throttled engines, then disappeared, still flying low.

Three-fifths of the huge crowd never lived to tell how it happened.

A rush for the car park turned that into a death trap, too.

The lines of planes waiting their turn for the show were a roaring furnace.

The Air Ministry, from members of the Air Council to lower subordinates, practically ceased to exist.

Two-fifths of the Home defence air personnel were killed, their equipment smashed.

One hour later, terrible panic broke out in the Underground system, when the packed trains stopped and ventilators failed, through the methodical bombing destruction of the source of power.

This is all speculation by Air Commodore, L. E. O. Charlton, in his book, "War Over England" (Longmans, Green, and Co.), published this month.

From reviewing the dreadful facts about the last war, the book plunges into the next war.

SIR B. SPILSBURY EXPLAINS

HOW HIS TESTS HAVE SOLVED CRIMES

SKULLS USED IN A LECTURE

Relics of crimes, including two skulls, were used by Sir Bernard Spilsbury, the Home Office pathologist, to illustrate a lecture he gave at University College Medical School recently.

The occasion was the reception held to mark the opening of the 1936-37 session of the school. Sir Bernard explained how various crimes had been solved by his experiments.

One of the skulls, a murdered woman's, had been fitted together after she had been battered to death. It was found to bear imprints which matched the shape of a poker found in her room.

A series of exhibits, consisting of small squares of white cloth over leather into which bullets had been fired from various ranges, showed the amount of scorching and powder-tattooing to be expected on the clothing and skin of anyone killed in that way.

Sir Bernard also produced the mummified remains of a new-born baby found wrapped in a newspaper, bearing the date May 20, 1870, under the floorboards of an old house.

A WARRIOR'S HEAD
Another exhibit was the shrivelled mummified head of a South American warrior. It was the custom of some tribes there, Sir Bernard said, to extract the bones from the head of a slaughtered enemy through the severed neck, and to dry the relic slowly until it shrank to little more than the size of a man's fist.

An exhibit which contrasted with the others was a bowler hat. It had helped Sir Bernard to solve the mystery of the death of a boy of 10, found shot through the head.

At first the police regarded the case as one of suicide, but Sir Bernard found blood-stains on the under side of the rim of the hat corresponding to the entry and exit holes of the bullet. This showed that the hat must have been on when the bullet struck the boy, and Sir Bernard thought it unlikely that he would have committed suicide with his hat on.

There were no signs marks on the skin round the entry hole of the bullet, showing that the weapon must have been fired from a short distance, and it is usual for suicides to press the muzzle against the temple. There was a half-smoked cigarette clutched in the left hand.

"I could not think that the boy would coolly light a cigarette before blowing his brains out," said Sir Bernard, "so I came to the conclusion that it was in all probability a case of 'accidental death'."



Two Englishmen, Mr. A. Hastings-Thomas and Mr. V. C. Dashwood, have discovered a method of producing crops without soil. The picture shows a maize produced under the new process.

Rajah's Children To Stay In India

INDIAN SECRETARY LOSES ON APPEAL

Madras, Nov. 10.

THE Rajah of Vizianagram has won his appeal against an order by the Secretary of State for India (Marquess of Zetland). The Rajah's four children will be educated in India.

Last May the Rajah appealed personally in the High Court of Madras against the order that four of his children should be educated in Britain.

He complained that the English climate was severe for Indian-born children—although his son, the Maharaj Kumar, was leading the Indian Test team at the time; he did not approve of the dormitory system; and he considered Indian education was better than anything given in England.

The Rajah also petitioned for the transfer of the case from the judge at Vizagapatnam.

The transfer was refused, but a temporary injunction was issued restraining the Court of Wards from sending the young princes out of the country.

This temporary injunction has now been rendered permanent. The Court of Wards now can only apply to the High Court for directions to control the children's movements within the limits of British India.

The Rajah of Vizianagram has been appointed guardian of the children.—*Reuter*.

Shirley Temple Sued For £200,000

Los Angeles, Oct. 25.

Shirley Temple, the child film star, is being sued for £200,000 in an action brought by Mr. Jack Hays, a Hollywood producer.

Co-defendants in the suit are Shirley's parents, the Twentieth Century-Fox Film Corporation and two banks.

Mr. Hays bases his action on a contract—alleged to have been signed by the Temples and approved in court—under which he was to direct Shirley's film training for two years, and she was to appear exclusively in his productions.

He declares that the Temples "repudiated" this contract in order to turn Shirley over to Twentieth Century-Fox.

ITEMS DEMANDED

Mr. Hays asks for £100,000 immediately, with half of Shirley's earnings from radio advertising and other sources. These are estimated at another £100,000.

He alleges that when the parents asked him to have Shirley "trained" he obtained coaches and cast her in six "one-reel baby-star pictures" for a company making educational comedies.

Her earnings then were 30s. to £2 a day, he says. Now he puts her "potential value" at £1,000,000, and estimates her earnings so far at £400,000.

In a dispute over a Hollywood home Miss Margaret Grahame, the film star, and Miss Sonja Henie, world's champion woman skater who has come here to make films, have filed suits for damages.

Their Boy-And-Girl Romance

HAPPY ENDING FOR 'HEAD'S' DAUGHTER

MISS ELIZABETH ALINGTON, second daughter of Dr. C. A. Alington, a former headmaster of Eton, this month married one of her father's pupils in Durham Cathedral.

The bridegroom was Lord Douglas, M.P., eldest son of the Earl and Countess of Home.

Dr. Alington is now Dean of Durham, and more than 1,000 guests attended the reception in the deanery after the wedding.

Dr. Alington wrote a special hymn for the wedding. The opening words are: "O Father, by Whose Sovereign sway the sun and stars in order move, Yet who hast made us bold to say Thy nature and Thy name is Love."

The hymn concludes:—"Be present in our hearts to-day 'All-powerful to bless and give To these Thy children grace that they may love and through their loving live.'"

Among the presents were silver mustard pots from the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester, and a salver from the Corporation of Durham City.

ONE MAN ACCEPTS ARMY OFFER

Battalion's Guest for Week

Folkestone, Oct. 28.

A fair-haired youth, a little embarrassed, walked into Moore Barracks at Shorncliffe Camp near here yesterday evening to spend a week's holiday as the guest of the 1st Battalion Royal Berkshire Regiment, under the scheme planned by the War Office to show the unemployed what Army life has to offer the young man of to-day.

Arrangements had been made to entertain 18 men from the Royal Berkshire's recruiting area, but others who had decided to go backed out at the last moment because of suggestions that they "would be tricked into enlisting."

Only Vernon Edward Bark, aged 19, an out-of-work ice-cream salesman, who home in at Lower Henley-road, Caversham, Reading, was determined to see it through. He is the son of an old soldier, who has been out of work nearly two years.

"A REALLY GOOD TIME"
The programme which had been arranged for 18 guests will be carried through for Bark's benefit. His pluck in not backing out while others stayed at home has won the admiration of the whole regiment.

An officer who has been closely associated with the arrangements for carrying out the War Office's scheme at Shorncliffe said that everything would be done to give Bark a really good time.

"I am afraid that many stayed away when they learned that a medical examination would be necessary," he said. "Actually this examination had nothing to do with the question of enlistment, but was a safeguard to see that no man was suffering from any infectious complaint."

The whole idea behind the scheme was not to secure recruits from our guests, but to get them to go home and tell their friends what Army life is really like to-day.

"They were to be the spokesmen for the Army. The whole scheme is based on that. The party would have been divided up into four sections."

"Our solitary guest will be No. 1 party, and he will be taken on tours of the barracks each morning, and then be invited to join in games during the afternoons."

Bark said that there had been talk among the unemployed that the scheme "sounded too good to be true, somewhere there must be a catch in it."

"I have never had an opportunity before of going away from home," he added, "and I should have been disappointed if I could not have come."

The second party is due at Shorncliffe next Saturday as the guests of the 2nd Battalion Royal West Kent Regiment. At the moment no

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1 p.m. Time and Weather.

1.05 p.m. Vocal Glee from "The Pirates of Penzance" by the Columbia Light Opera Company.

1.15 p.m. Songs by Webster Booth (Tenor).

1.30 p.m. Reuter Press, Rugby Press, Weather, Time and Announcements.

1.45 p.m. A Variety Programme.

2.10 p.m. Close Down.

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7 p.m. Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

Ballet Egyptian (Luigini); Indra Waltz (Lincke); Love's Dream after the Ball (Czibulka); Selection—"The Beggar Student" (Millecker); The Nightingale's Morning Greeting (Tecklenwald).

7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 p.m. A Programme of Spanish Music.

Orchestra—Spanish Dances No. 2 (Granados); Violin Solo—Tango, Op. 165 (Areniz); Yellé d'Arany; Song—Granadinas (Farwell, my Granado); (Calleja); Tito Schipa (Tenor); Orchestra—Triana (Albeniz); Pianoforte Solo—Granada, Serenade (Albeniz); Ricardo Vines; Song—"Chanson du Feu" (Follet); (Extrait de L'Amour Sorcier); Sept. Chansons Populaires Espagnoles; No. 7 Polo (Manuel de Falla); Maria Barrientos (Soprano).

8 p.m. Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. From the Studio.

Syncopation on Two Pianos by Doreen Ma and H.L. Ozorio (With Vocal Refrain by Doreen Ma).

Programme

1. Two Pianos—Rhythm is our business; 2. Vocal—Can't help lovin' that man; 3. Two Pianos—Rendezvous in Havana; 4. Vocal—Painting the Town Red; 5. Two Pianos—Sugar Rose; 6. Vocal—You're so darn charming; 7. Two Pianos—Rhapsody Junior; 8. Vocal—Lost my Rhythm, Lost my Music, Lost my Man.

8.30 p.m. The Maestros.

Maire, my girl (Cory & Aiken); Dances (Teschemacher & d'Herde); Little Annie Rooney (Nolan); Daddy wouldn't buy me a bow-wow (Tablar).

8.43 p.m. Songs—Homing (Del Riego); Still as the night (Bohr); Derek Oldham (Tenor); Mandoline Solo—Valse de Concert (Marucelli); Souvenir de Sicile (Leonardi); Maria B. Scivittari; Song—Always (Dyrenforth & Smith); Derek Oldham.

9 p.m. London—News and Announcements.

9.20 p.m. The Light Symphony Orchestra.

May Day Overture (Haydn Wood); "Mood" Suite—Joyousness—Concert Waltz (Haydn Wood); (a) Rondel; (b) Minstrel; (c) arr. Haydn Wood.

9.35 p.m. From the Studio.

Millicent Wood (Contralto) and Prue Lewis (Violin).

Song—In Child's Heart (von Ahn); Carole; Now Sleeps the Crim-son Petal (Quilter); Blossoms (Hurlstone); Violin Solos—Air on G String (Bach); Cavane (Marcello); Tam-bourin (Rameau); Songs—1. Bink-bourin (Rameau); The Ships of Arrendy (d'Herde); The Ships of Arrendy (d'Herde); The Wayfarer's Night Song (Easthope Martin); Violin Solos—Two Compositions by Lindsay A. Lafford; The Gentle Maiden (Cyril Scott).

10 p.m. London—Big Ben Talk: "Foreign Affairs" by Sir Frederick Whyte, K.C.S.I., L.D.

10.16 p.m. Dance Music.

11 p.m. Close Down.

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Transmission 1

(G.S.B., G.S.O.)

4.50 p.m. Big Ben. The Old Folks at Home—2.

4.55 p.m. Variety.

5.15 p.m. "Enthusiasm Exchange."

5.25 p.m. Beethoven's Sonata for Violin and Piano—1.

5.40 p.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 5.45 p.m.

Transmission 2

(G.S.P., G.S.H.)

7 p.m. Big Ben. "Empire Magazine."

7.15 p.m. The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra.

8.15 p.m. Musical Interlude.

8.25 p.m. Variety.

8.30 p.m. The Greenacres Junior Prize Band.

Greenwich Time Signal at 8 p.m.

9 p.m. The News and Announcements.

9.25 p.m. A Recital of New Gramophone Records.

Transmission 3

(G.S.B., G.S.P., G.S.S.)

10.15 p.m. Big Ben. "Foreign Affairs."

10.15 p.m. His Majesty's Theatre—Musical Comedy. 11-12.15.

11 p.m. The Torquay Municipal Orchestra.

11 a.m. Musical Show—1. "Coe for Ad-ventures."

Greenwich Time Signal at 12 a.m.

12.30 a.m. The News and Announcements.

12.50 a.m. The Philby Whistler Ensemble.

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BADMINTON SEASON OPENS IN TYPICAL STYLE

Three Teams Make Clean Sweep: Promising Debuts

RECREIO "A" IN GREAT FORM

ST. ANDREW'S TAKEN BY SURPRISE

KOWLOON TONG "A" MAKE AN IMPRESSIVE START

(By "Veritas")

BRILLIANTLY successful debuts were made in the badminton league last night by King's College and the Chinese Y.M.C.A., both teams winning their encounters by nine clear games. The Y.M.C.A. made an impressive showing against Victoria Recreation Club, although they were not up against the full strength of the swimming club as S. A. Rumjahn was an absentee.

Kowloon Tong "A" also put up a great performance in beating St. Andrew's "B" on the latter's court by seven sets to two. The visitors owed everything to their first and third pairs, who won three games each.

Both Club de Recreio "A" and King's College Recreation Club, both teams winning their encounters by nine clear games. The Y.M.C.A. made an impressive showing against Victoria Recreation Club, although they were not up against the full strength of the swimming club as S. A. Rumjahn was an absentee.

The Portuguese were practically unplayable and they scored points at will. Only F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang offered any serious resistance, and they obtained twelve aces in one game, ten in another and 13 in the third.

At Club de Recreio, the home team did extremely well to overcome St. Andrew's "A", though there was only the one game in it.

SURPRISE WIN

The visitors were taken by surprise when E. F. Fincher and H. Kew lost to L. A. Silva and E. A. R. Alves. It was the best encounter of the evening, and saw the Portuguese couple recover from arrears of 8-14 to lead 19-18. At that stage all four players were affected by the excitement of the occasion and service passed hands three times without any addition to the score. Finally the aggressive tactics of the home pair pulled them through, though Silva was a trifle fortunate to secure net cord points at vital stage of the game.

The visitors were also disappointed in the performances of Guest and Gray which were below par. This couple was completely outplayed in the first game, and although they recovered a little to beat the third string, they could not withstand the determined methods of Silva-Alves combination.

F. Wong and F. A. Broadbridge very nearly snatched a surprise win against A. E. Xavier and H. A. Barros and actually led 10-2 and later 19-17. Then Recreio took seven points in a row for the match.

Detailed scores of the matches follow:

"A" DIVISION

C.R.C. v. RECREIO "A"

At Causeway Bay last night, Club de Recreio "A" beat the Chinese Recreation Club by 9 games to nil: P. C. Leung and C. T. Yung (C.R.C.) lost to J. J. Remedios and M. A. Oliveira 8-21; lost to L. A. Carvalho and A. M. Silva 8-21; lost to F. da Souza and H. A. Alves 4-21; F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang (C.R.C.) lost to Remedios and Oliveira 12-21; lost to Carvalho and Silva 10-21; lost to Souza and Alves 13-21.

S. W. Wong and T. F. Lo (C.R.C.) lost to Remedios and Oliveira 3-21; lost to Carvalho and Silva 4-21; lost to Souza and Alves 6-21.

RECREIO "B" v. ST. ANDREW'S "A"

Playing at Club de Recreio, the home team beat St. Andrew's "A" by five games to four.

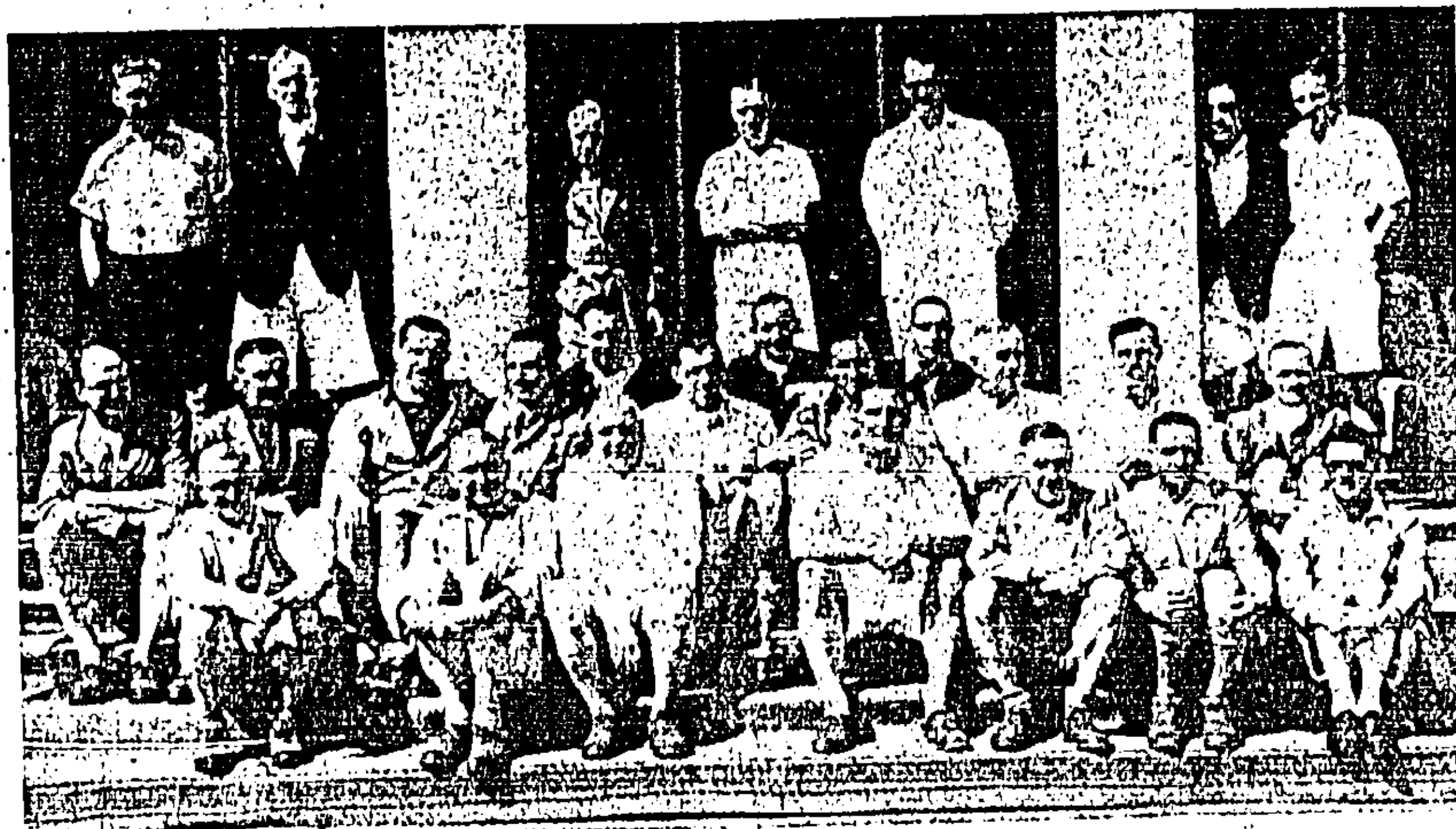
A. E. Xavier and H. A. Barros (Recreio "B") beat S. A. Gray and A. E. P. Guest 21-2; lost to E. F. Fincher and H. Kew 14-21; beat F. Wong and F. A. Broadbridge 24-19; H. A. Noronha and C. C. Pereira (Recreio) lost to Gray and Guest 8-21; lost to Fincher and Kew 3-21; lost to Wong and Broadbridge 13-21; L. A. Silva and E. A. R. Alves (Recreio) beat Gray and Guest 21-13; beat Fincher and Kew 21-10; beat Wong and Broadbridge 21-13.

"B" DIVISION

KING'S COLLEGE v. S. & S. HOME

At King's College Sailors and Soldiers Home were beaten by nine games to love.

T. Lam and S. P. Chan (King's College) beat Stephen and Brown 21-2; beat Merritt and Yang Chen 21-0; beat H. Bain and W. Sprague 21-1; H. T. Woo and H. N. Chung (King's College) beat Stephen and Brown 21-4; beat Merritt and Yang Chen 21-1; beat Bain and Sprague 21-1. (Continued on Page 9.)



Players who took part in the annual golf match between the St. Andrew's Society and St. George's Society, snapped at Fanling on Sunday last. (Photo: Ming Yuen.)

Clubhouse Chatter

Council's Thumbs Down To Chinese Soccer Protest

SOME PECULIAR AND NOVEL ARGUMENTS ADVANCED

THE comprehensive document through which the Chinese clubs voiced their protest against the decision of the referee in abandoning the Lai Wah Cup tie during extra time between the Army and the Chinese, contained several novel features, but perhaps the most surprising was the insistence that as the Lai Wah Cup was a K. O. competition, there should be no question of a replay. Last evening the Hongkong Football Association turned their thumbs down to the argument and decided by a big majority that the tie should be replayed in its entirety, thus upholding the recommendation of the Referees' Committee which had first considered the protest.

Only Rightful Decision

THIS theory that a knock-out competition should not permit of a replay is curious, and, so far as I know, unsupported by precedent or example. It is defeated by the very fact that extra time, which is in effect a replay, is ordered under the rules governing this particular competition. The argument that the game should only be played from the time it was abandoned does not prove that a definite result will necessarily be obtained within that period. It is possible that had the A.F.A. ordered such a replay in compliance with the alternative request of the protesters, the match would have been continued for several hours. Because a team is leading by a goal six minutes from the finish of extra time, does not mean that they are certain winners, and unless the referee is entitled to use his discretion, the game could go on interminably. Furthermore it is well to bear in mind that in providing for the playing of extra time, the H.K.F.A. has behaved in no novel or unprecedented manner. Extra time in cup ties has been a regulation governing English football for years, but never have I known it be a practice for a game, abandoned during that extra time, to be finished off from that point. The full replay is always ordered. The H.K.F.A.'s decision was the only obvious and rightful one. Quite clearly they could not award the match to the Chinese on the assumption that because they held a goal lead they would have won the match; equally certain is it that they could not order a replay from the time of the abandonment. They had time of action only, and this has been taken.

Our Daily Golf Hint

Timing is the result of concentrating the whole purpose of the mind on one part of the body; and that the sensitive hand.

—Harold Begbie.

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Badminton Starts

IF last night's results in the badminton league mean anything, it would seem that Club de Recreio "A" team is going to prove practically unplayable again this winter, and that the "B" Division is going to enjoy some lively competition. Any team which can visit Chinese Recreation Club and win nine games in a class of its own, Recreio did this yesterday, but I doubt very much whether such a feat will be repeated by another team this season. While it is only meet to point out that the Chinese were minus S. P. Chan and H. T. Woo, a glance at the individual scores will quickly prove how brilliantly the Portuguese played; for visitors to the Causeway Bay Court start off with a handicap of some three or four points owing to the very difficult playing conditions. When Chinese Y.M.C.A. beat Soldiers and Sailors Home in a friendly game the other evening, the full significance of the trouncing was not appreciated; but last night the newcomers to the league piled things on by wiping up the V.R.C., while up at King's College, the collegians did likewise to S. and S. Home. It does not demand great perspicacity to pronounce these two teams as important contenders for the championship. But this new competition is all for the good of the game, and the "B" Division standard of play will benefit accordingly.

Another Laboured Point

I cannot also help feeling that undue stress was laid on the wickedness of the referee observing at the end of the match that there would be a replay. The objectors apparently tried to convince the Association that whatever a referee says at the close of a game is law; yet surely once the match is over the referee becomes nothing more than an ordinary human being, with his own ideas on the match carrying no more weight than those of a spectator. He has to submit a report, that is true, but it is a report dealing with facts and does not call for any comment as to what action should be taken. Any such comment would be ignored by an adjudicating body. Mr. Stokes's promise of a "word to the wise" may be a nice gesture on his part to appease a group of susceptible objectors, but I really see no necessity for it.

Senior Shield Draw

IT cannot be said that South China "A" have been very nicely treated by the Senior Shield draw, made yesterday. They have to start off by meeting the Navy, and if this test is survived they will probably run up against the Royal Ulster

PROFESSIONALISM IN RUGGER

Alarm Over Lack Of Clear Stand By Players

London, Oct. 10.

There is a growing alarm among the Rugby Unions at the growth of veld professionalism in their ranks. Payment for "broken time" such as led to the "Great Split" of 1893 does not exist, but cash consideration for services rendered, made in the form of excessive expenses, certainly does.

It has been the practice of recent years among several of the big clubs to pay for everything that a player may require in the shape of jerseys, boots, stockings, laundry and so on.

The growing migration of players to certain centres is being carefully watched, but it is almost impossible to stop it. A man is a free agent to take up a job in any town.

Then, again, it is common knowledge that Rugby Union players, under fictitious names, go for trials with professional clubs, though not

frequently. Unless one is on the spot and recognizes the player it is exceedingly difficult to obtain definite proof.

No one these days blames a man for becoming a professional Rugby player, but there should not be any flitting with professionalism. Either one thing or the other, and since the rule is perfectly clear on that point it should be realized that taking part in a professional club's trial constitutes a breach of the rules as much as signing a professional form.

DRAW FOR THE SHIELDS

S. CHINA "B" TO PLAY THROUGH

R.E.'S RECEIVE A BYE

The draw for the senior and junior football shield competitions was made last evening by the League Management Committee and resulted as follows:

Police I. (European) or Athletic v. South China or Police II. (Chinese).

Rifles or East Lanes v. Kumaon Rifles.

R.E. v. R.A.O.C. H.K.F.C. v. R.A.S.C. Liga Portuguesa v. Kowloon F.C. Kowloon Chinese v. Navy.

SENIOR SHIELD

First Round

Kowloon F.C. v. Royal Ulster Rifles
Eastern v. St. Joseph's
Navy v. South China "A"
Kowloon Chinese v. H.K.F.C.
Police v. East Lanes
Athletic v. South China "B"
Byes—Royal Welch Fusiliers and Club de Recreio.

Second Round

Kowloon or Rifles v. Navy or South China "A"
Kowloon Chinese or H.K.F.C. v. Athletic or South China "B"
Eastern or St. Joseph's v. Recreio
Fusiliers v. Police or East Lanes.

FIRST ROUND

Royal Ulster Rifles v. East Lanes
Police III (European) v. Athletic
Fusiliers v. Eastern
R.A. (Lyemun) v. R.A.M.C.
Recreio v. Police I (Chinese)
South China v. Police II (Chinese)
Byes—Kumaon Rifles, R.A.F., R.E., R.A.O.C., H.K.F.C., R.A.S.C.

£100,000 Soccer Stand Opened

GREAT DAY FOR THE ARSENAL

The Arsenal Football Club's new £100,000 stand at Highbury was opened to the public last month.

It is the most luxurious stand on any football ground in the country, the tip-up seats being of padded leather and the rake so steep that a perfect view of the play is provided for everybody.

Spectators reach their seats from six different floors. There are two luncheon and tea rooms—the west stand already has one—and an enormous bar for light refreshments.

The players' quarters are the last point in comfort and referee, linemen and staff all have rooms with baths. Even the trainers have special seats under glass at the entrance to the playing enclosure.

FLOOD-LIGHTING

A new loud-speaker equipment will assist in packing the ground, and the ground can be flooded, so that the staff can level the turf after a match when frost threatens, and thus ensure play on subsequent days, even if the ground is frozen.

The estimated accommodation of the ground is now:

New East Stand	10,000
West Stand	(2s. 6d. upwards)
Standing at 2s.	9,000
Standing at 1s.	20,000
Total	39,000

Provision has even been made for television, if and when it becomes a commercial proposition.

Liga Portuguesa, Kowloon F.C., Kowloon Chinese and Navy.

Second Round

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R.W.F. or Eastern v. Recreio or

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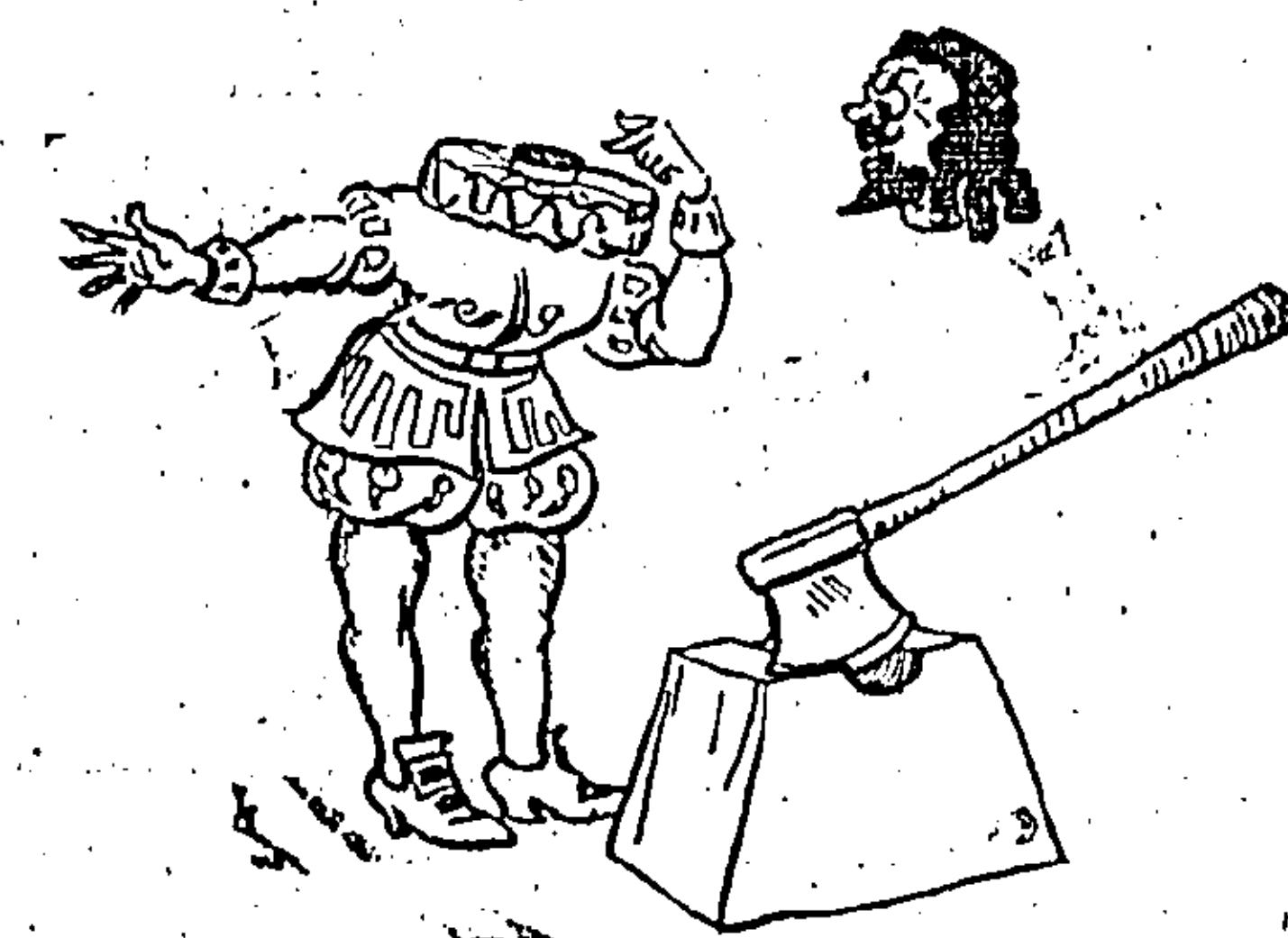
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LADIES' DOUBLES

Second Round Encounter

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Dowling, who are expected to win the Ladies' Doubles Championship of the Colony, surmounted their first obstacle yesterday when, playing on the U.S.R.C. courts, they beat Miss B. Abraham and Mrs. Curtis in the first round by 6-1, 6-1.

London, Nov. 16.

The following is the latest call-over for the Manchester November Handicap.

Penny Royal, 10 to 1, 100 to 9 t.
Pudent Act 100 to 8 o. 100 to 7 t.
Flam, 100 to 6 o. 20 to 1 t.
Sea Bequest, 25 to 1, 1 t & o.

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LAI WAH CUP MATCH IS TO BE REPLAYED

Mr. George She And The Referees' Committee A SMART DEBATE AT H.K.F.A. MEETING

Important matters were dealt with at yesterday's meeting of the Hongkong F.A. Council, at which Major C. M. Manners presided, the chief business being to consider a report from the Referees' Committee apropos the protest lodged by the Chinese clubs against the referee's decision in abandoning the Lai Wah Cup tie between Chinese and Army.

The Referees' Committee reported that they fully upheld the action of the official in charge of the game, and after a lengthy discussion, the Council approved of the report and by a big majority decided to order a replay.

Mr. George She asked for the minutes of the Referees' Committee as he wished to be satisfied that the committee had given full consideration to the protest.

"CURSORY ATTITUDE"
With the approval of the majority of the members, the minutes were read. The minutes merely stated that the Committee had received a letter from the Chinese team on the matter, and that they had carefully considered it. As a result, Mr. She complained of the "cursory attitude" adopted by the Committee, but this was strenuously denied by the Chairman.

Mr. She then proposed to ask questions of Mr. Stokes, Chairman of the Committee, on the proceedings, and the request was granted. Mr. She: Did the Committee ask the referee if he had stated there would probably be a replay?

Mr. Stokes: Yes. His reply was he said the game had been abandoned and there would probably be a replay.

Mr. She: Did you ask what right he had to say that?

Mr. Stokes: No. The Committee themselves thought that was the natural conclusion.

Mr. She: Did you point out to him that under Lai Wah Cup rules a referee, when he abandons a game, should first report the matter to the Council before expressing his own opinion?

Mr. Stokes: He had his report in writing and there was no necessity to ask him this question.

Mr. She: Did the report contain that he realised he had no right to order a replay? I must say, Mr. Chairman, that referees should be told in future not to make statements which could be interpreted in more than one sense.

Mr. Stokes: The referee did mention that there would be a replay.

Mr. She: He spoke to four persons, including myself, but not to any one in particular.

"IMPROPER STATEMENT"
Chairman: The referee is fully conversant with the rules. I think it is quite a natural remark to make.

Mr. She: I think it is improper. Lieut. Chaplin: As a member of the Committee, I think referees should be told it is unwise to give any personal opinion.

Mr. She: Yes. Chairman: No referee, as a rule, refuses to discuss the game. I think the matter could be dealt with by asking Mr. Stokes to request referees to be very careful in future in regard to the statements they make.

Mr. She: Certain aspects of the case arose as the result of the referee's remarks.

Chairman: You think the remarks prejudiced the Committee in arriving at their decision?

Mr. She: My whole point is that it was a Lai Wah Cup match, and being a knock-out competition there should be no question of replay.

Mr. Stokes: I will whisper a word to the referee and tell them what Mr. She has said.

Chairman: I think this will be the best way.

With the exception of Mr. She and Mr. Chinn, the Council approved of the decision of the Referees' Sub-Committee in upholding the action of the referee.

object of the Lai Wah Cup competition was to raise funds to defray the expenses for the Interport. Mr. Pryde supported Mr. She's proposal, saying: "I know we are hard up, but we have been spending money when we should not have spent."

Chairman: Not lately. Mr. Pryde: Yes.

Chairman: For instance? Mr. Pryde: Recently we had a cocktail party here, which was not necessary, and which cost quite a lot.

Chairman: We are rather in need of funds to defray expenses for the Interport, and the object of the Lai Wah Cup competition is for this purpose.

Capt. Kimm proposed an amendment to the proposal, to the effect that the proceeds be allocated "to such an extent as the Council directs."

Mr. She said that if the amendment were put forward he would withdraw his proposal because it would confuse things.

Mr. Pryde: I support Mr. She's remarks. Give or don't give. The amendment, however, was put to the vote, and seconded by Mr. Bliss, was carried by eight.

TENNIS
Tilden To Play Vines Once More

WILL BE HERE ON FRIDAY

Widespread regret will be felt in Hongkong over the announcement, made by the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association yesterday afternoon, that William T. Tilden and Ellsworth Vines, the famous tennis professionals, will appear in only one more exhibition match in the Colony this week.

According to the original arrangement, Tilden and Vines, who are now in Manila, were to have participated in two exhibition games, yesterday and to-day, but the delay in the arrival of the President Lincoln has forced the Hongkong L.T.A. to alter the programme.

It was at first hoped that the professionals would play on Friday and Saturday, but the Hongkong C.C. ground, on which the exhibitions have been arranged, is available only on Friday and not on Saturday, as a League cricket match is scheduled to be played between the Hongkong C.C. and the Army on that day.

Tilden and Vines will arrive in the Colony on Friday morning and sail at midnight on Saturday.

Their exhibition on Friday will commence at 3 p.m. The autographed tennis racket presented by Tilden in aid of the Earl Halp Peppy Day Fund will be raffled on that day.

ROYAL FAMILY
PRINCESS HELEN VICTORIA CATCHES CHILL

London, Nov. 16.
It is learned that Princess Helen Victoria, aged 60, cousin of the late King George, is suffering from a chill which is not serious. However, she has cancelled her social engagements for the coming week.—United Press.

PROCEEDS FOR CHARITY
Towards the end of the meeting, Mr. She proposed that the proceeds from the replay be devoted to charity in the manner as the Council saw fit.

Mr. Stokes pointed out that the



M. A. Oliveira, Colony's fastest badminton player who figured prominently for Recreio "A" against Chinese Recreation Club last evening.

Badminton Season Opens

(Continued from Page 8.)

J. Pau and K. H. Lo (King's College) beat Stephen and Brown 21-14; beat Merritt and Yang Chen 21-14; beat Pain and Sprague 21-2.

ST. ANDREW'S "B" v. KOWLOON TONG "A"

At St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon Tong seniors won by seven games to two.

L. E. Kirby and J. P. Dawson (St. Andrew's "B") lost to N. A. E. Mackay and A. Chan 7-21; beat A. W. da Rosa and K. C. Yeo 21-17; lost to A. E. H. Castro and R. E. Lee 21-21.

M. Weill and G. White (St. Andrew's "B") lost to Mackay and Chan 3-21; beat Roza and Yeo 21-18; lost to Castro and Lee 17-21.

S. A. Brondbridge and A. S. Bliss (St. Andrew's "B") lost to Mackay and Chan 15-21; lost to Roza and Yeo 13-21; lost to Castro and Lee 20-23.

V.R.C. v. CHINESE Y.M.C.A.
At Bridges Street last night, the Chinese "Y" beat the Victoria Recreation Club by 9 games to nil.

W. Lawrence and A. O. Barretto (V.R.C.) lost to P. H. Wong and T. W. Wong 3-21; lost to Ong Tian Jim and Chuang Tze Yung 8-21; lost to Henry Koh and Frederick Koh 17-21.

C. N. da Silva and M. M. de Soares (V.R.C.) lost to Wong and Wong 13-21; lost to Ong and Chuang 7-21; lost to Koh and Koh 16-21.

E. M. L. Soares and D. M. Xavier (V.R.C.) lost to Wong and Wong 2-21; lost to Ong and Chuang 2-21; lost to Koh and Koh 11-21.

KOWLOON TONG "B" v. ST. JOHN'S
At Kowloon Tong last night, the Kowloon Tong Club "B" lost to the St. John's Club by 6 games to 3.

J. A. V. Soares and Peter Lo (Kowloon Tong) lost to A. Smith and N. Smith 10-21; lost to David Kwok and J. Bennett 3-21; beat J. A. Donald and J. W. Pengalley 21-9.

C. Alves and J. Alvares (Kowloon Tong) lost to Smith and Smith 14-21; lost to Kwok and Bennett 8-21; beat Donald and Pengalley 21-10.

H. Chan and Po Fook-shing (Kowloon Tong) lost to Smith and Smith 5-21; lost to Kwok and Bennett 1-21; beat Donald and Pengalley 21-13.

OXFORD RUGGER SIDE FOR THE YEAR

Powerful XV Anticipated With Good Talent

London, Oct. 19.
The Oxford University Rugby side will again be led by M. McG. Cooper, the New Zealand Scottish Inter-national forward, who acted as captain for K. L. T. Jackson (injured) twelve months ago. Nine Old Blues are available from last year's strong XV. They are: J. L. Stuart-Watson (fullback), A. Obelonsky and M. M. Walford (three-quarters), C. F. Grieve (half), and besides Cooper, J. H. Brett, C. T. Bloxham, G. A. Reid, and P. C. W. Disney (forwards).

Two other Blues, R. F. Harding (three-quarter) and H. M. Hughes (forward) are uncertain.

It may be that the team will be built around Walford in view of this player's fine form as a fly-half late last season. If this is so, C. F. Grieve may be moved to fullback which would leave Oxford to find two new three-quarters.

Among the Seniors, W. N. Benwick (Loretto) and R. L. Button (Trent College) are strong candidates. Candidates for places in the three-quarter line may be J. C. Oliver, a Rhodesian, J. H. Portus of Adelaide University and B. L. Cummings (Michealhouse S.A.).

The new men include a number of players with well-established school reputations. R. E. Luyt (Diocesan College, S.A.) son of a famous South African, is said to be an outstanding half, as is also J. D. Lewis, who played three-quarter for the New Zealand University team.

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SPORT ADVTS.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Eleventh Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 21st November, 1936, commencing at 2.00 p.m.
The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Actg. Secretary.
Hongkong, 16th November, 1936.

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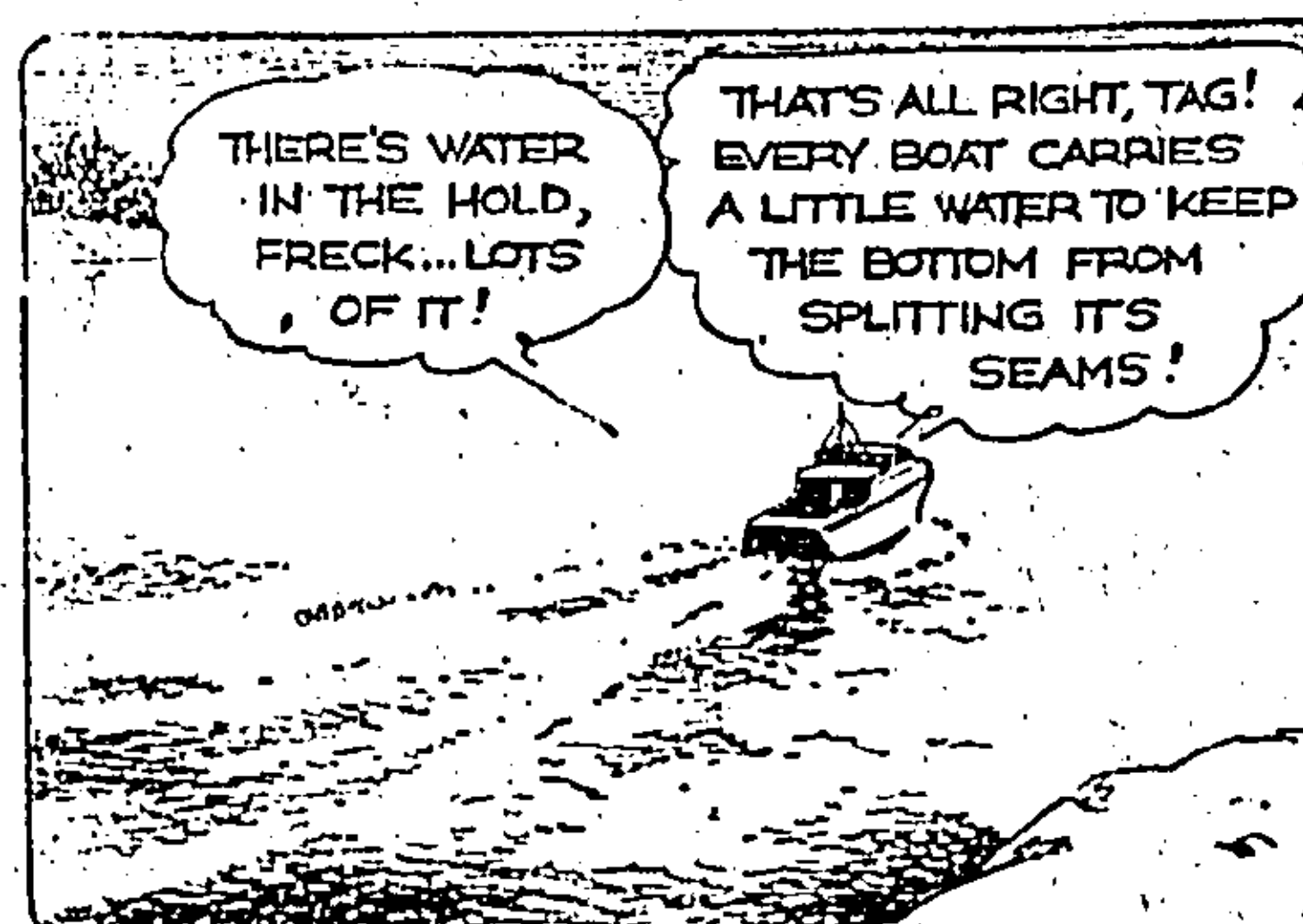
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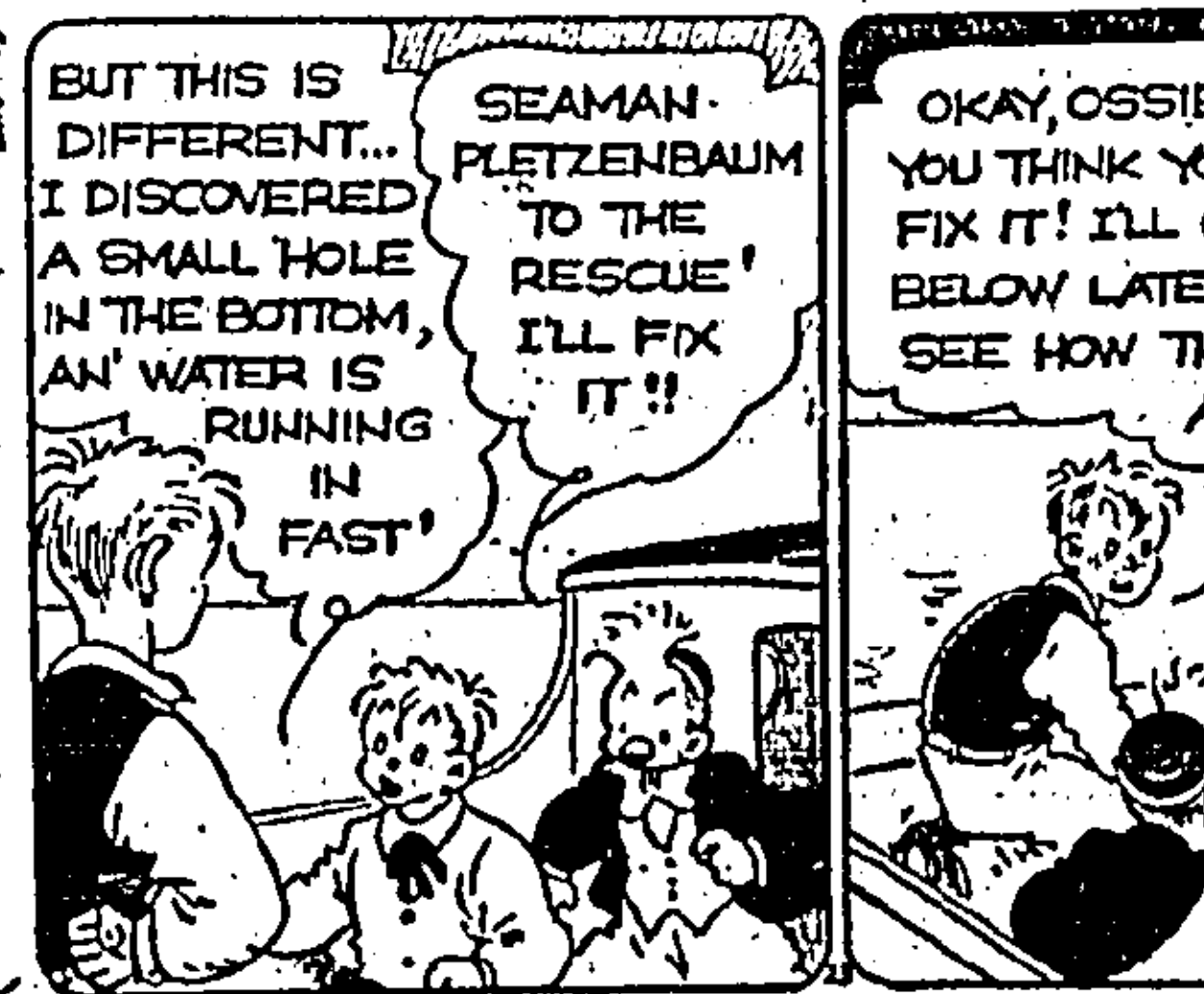
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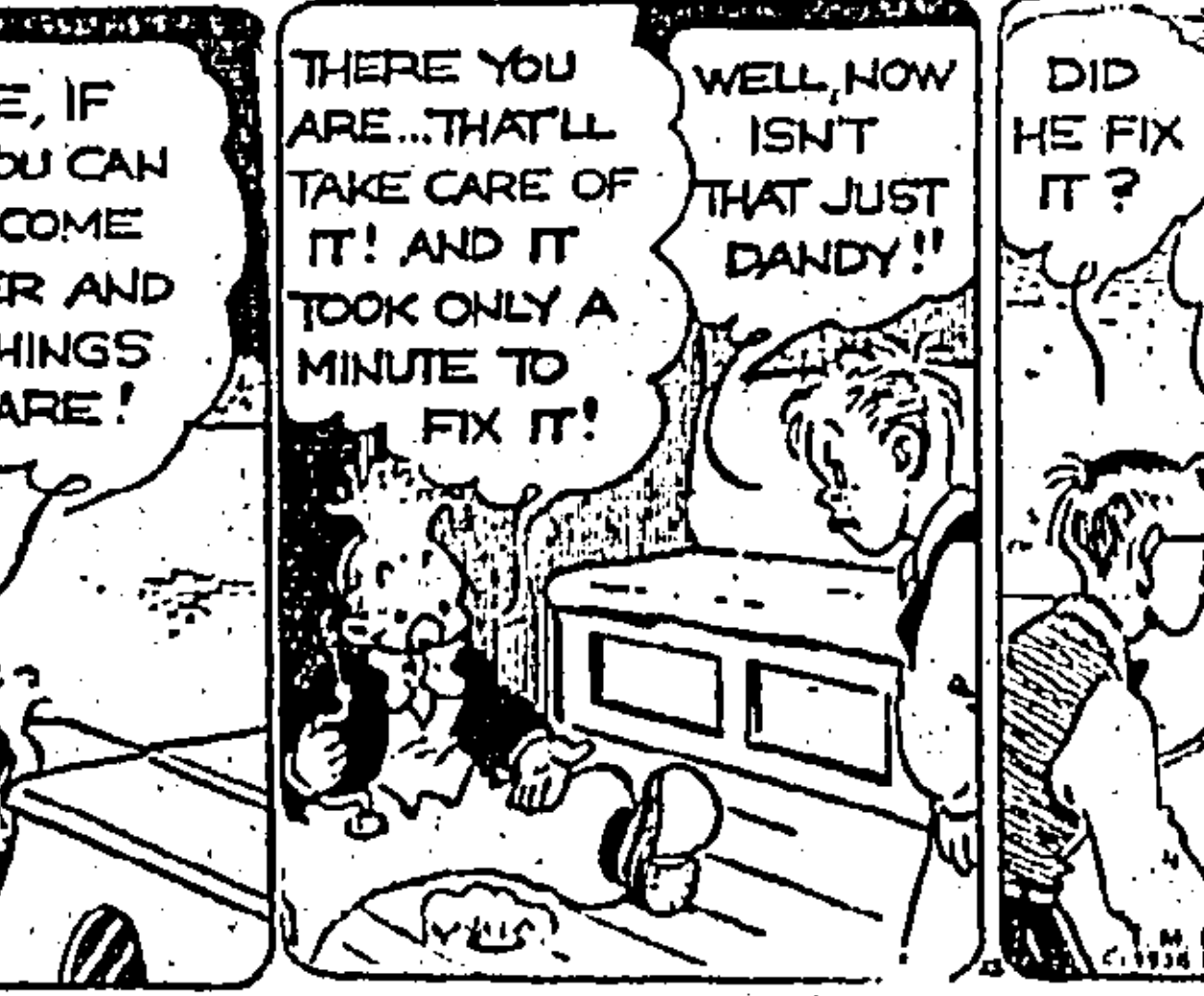
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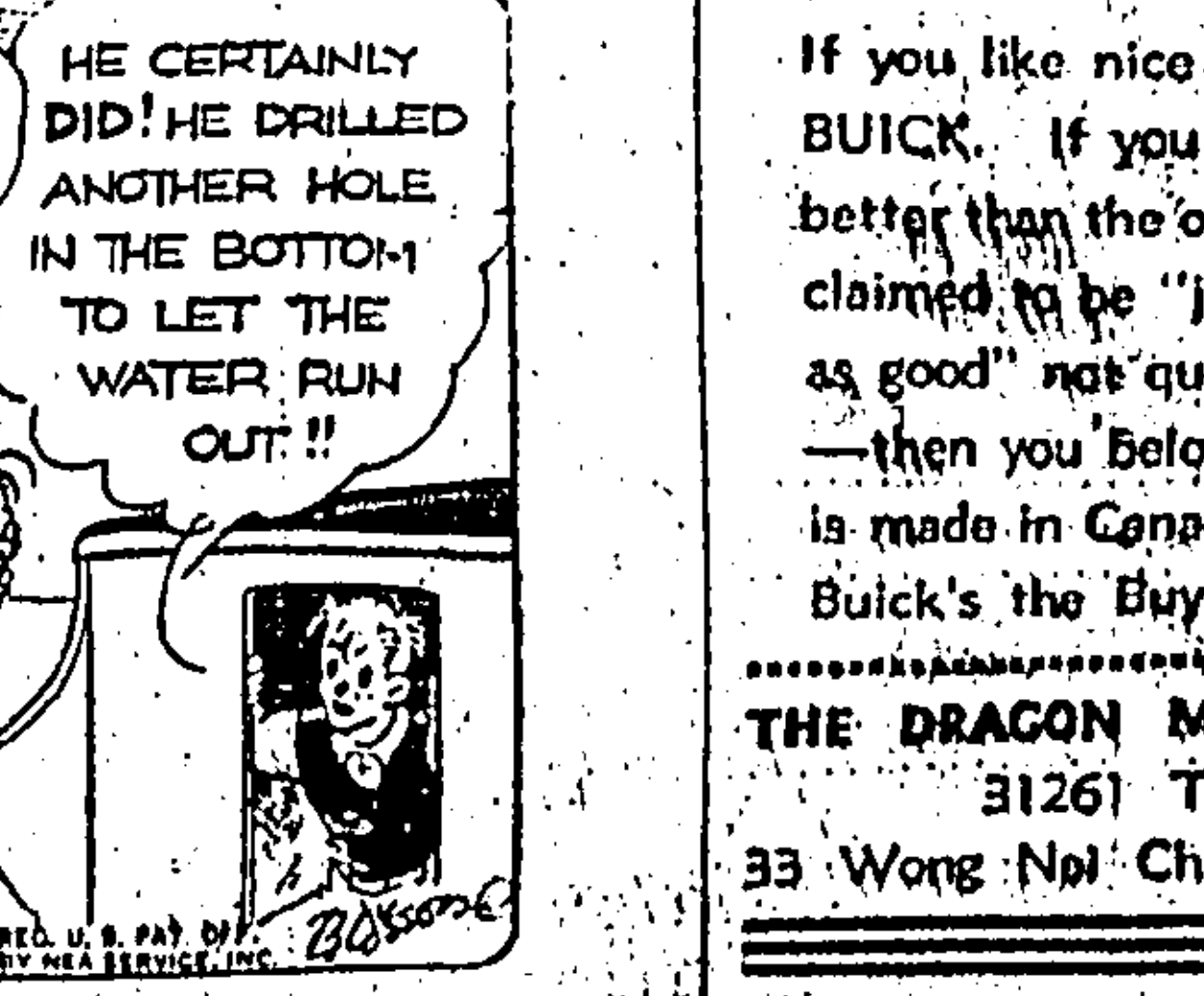
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NEW STEPS for a SEASON of DANCING

by
Mary
Benedetta

THIS month everybody's thoughts turn to dancing again. But, before the dance lovers think of learning any new steps, they should spend several evenings getting back "into form." This really means looking for their faults and correcting them.

We all know, for instance, the dancer who bends both knees all the time. She looks as if she is fighting her way through very deep snow, and her partner's legs probably get a few bruises from knocking into them.

Bend the front knee slightly when you are taking a long step back, to keep the body upright.

At the same time the back knee should be stretched out straight. Dance from your hips downwards, not from your knees down, and your knees will then behave as they should.

THE "STRADDLERS"

Then there are the "straddlers" whose feet never meet each other, with a distressingly gawky result.

Every time the feet pass make them just brush together on the insides.

Good dancers wear their shoes out all down the inside of the foot.

If you dance in the correct position, and make your body convey your legs, instead of trying to make your legs take your body along, then you are more than half-way towards being a good dancer.

DO NOT "SNATCH"

Men do not like partners who snatch the steps away from them. This often happens with people who are accustomed to dancing together. However, well you know the steps, let the man draw you into them, but without being slow to follow him. They also hate women who droop heavily on their shoulders and expect to be more or less taken for a ride!

People who dance a good deal in crowded restaurants are apt to appear rooted to the floor under their feet. This is very exhausting to whoever has to dance with them.

Dancers should never lose that sense of continual flowing movement, which is best

Modern Viennese Waltz—

Follow the steps of the
Season's Newest Dance

Here's a "film" of the two Turns in the dance. For the Walk, read the direction in Mary Benedetta's article.

The Turn

- 1 Back on the left—one.
- 2 Right foot to the side—two.
- 3 Left foot up to it—bringing feet together—three.
- 4 Right foot forward—one.
- 5 Bring left foot up to it without putting your weight down, and hesitate—two—three.

(You are turning all the time.)

Reverse Turn

- 6 Back on right—one.
- 7 Left foot to side—two.
- 8 Bring right foot to left.
- 9 Left foot forward—one.
- 10 Bring right foot up to it without putting weight down, and hesitate—two—three.

described as "carry through." You can still keep it on a crowded floor by making all your steps much smaller. And now the new steps.

There is nothing exaggerated about the new season's dancing, and most of the steps are variations of old favourites.

The new dance is a modern Viennese waltz, and is a cross between an old-fashioned waltz and a modern one, danced to music with a tempo between the two. It has come into being because of the popular craze for dancing the old-fashioned waltz. But instead of just turning dizzily to the music, there are all kinds of attractive new steps and delightful little hesitations.

The easiest step in the new waltz is The Walk.

Here are the movements for the girl. The man follows the same steps, but on opposite feet, and, of course, in the reverse position. He has no

THE WALK

Step back with the left foot on the first beat—one. Draw the right foot up to it, without putting any weight on it, and hesitate for the last two beats—two, three. Back right, continuing the same way.

For the two "Turns" in the waltz follow the film strip diagram above.

These are the first and most important steps of the Viennese waltz, and once you can do them the remaining variations are easy to learn. You have to get a little lifting movement into your steps to swing you round with the music, and that will only come with practice. Dance it to an old-fashioned waltz turned slow on the gramophone.



A graceful gown for the new dance season could be made on the lines of the white faille Worth model shown here, although most dancers might find it more convenient without the train.

IS YOUR ENGLISH CORRECT?

"SUBSTITUTE" AND "REPLACE"

These words are often confused.

To "substitute" properly means to "put something in the place of something else," not to "take the place of."

Thus you "substitute paper money for gold" and speak of "the substitution of paper money for gold." Wrong is to "substitute gold by paper money," and "the substitution of gold by paper money."

The test is, Can you put the word "replace" instead of "substitute," and "replacement" instead of "substitution." If you can, then your use of "substitute" and "substitution" is wrong, and "replace" and "replacement" are the correct words to use.

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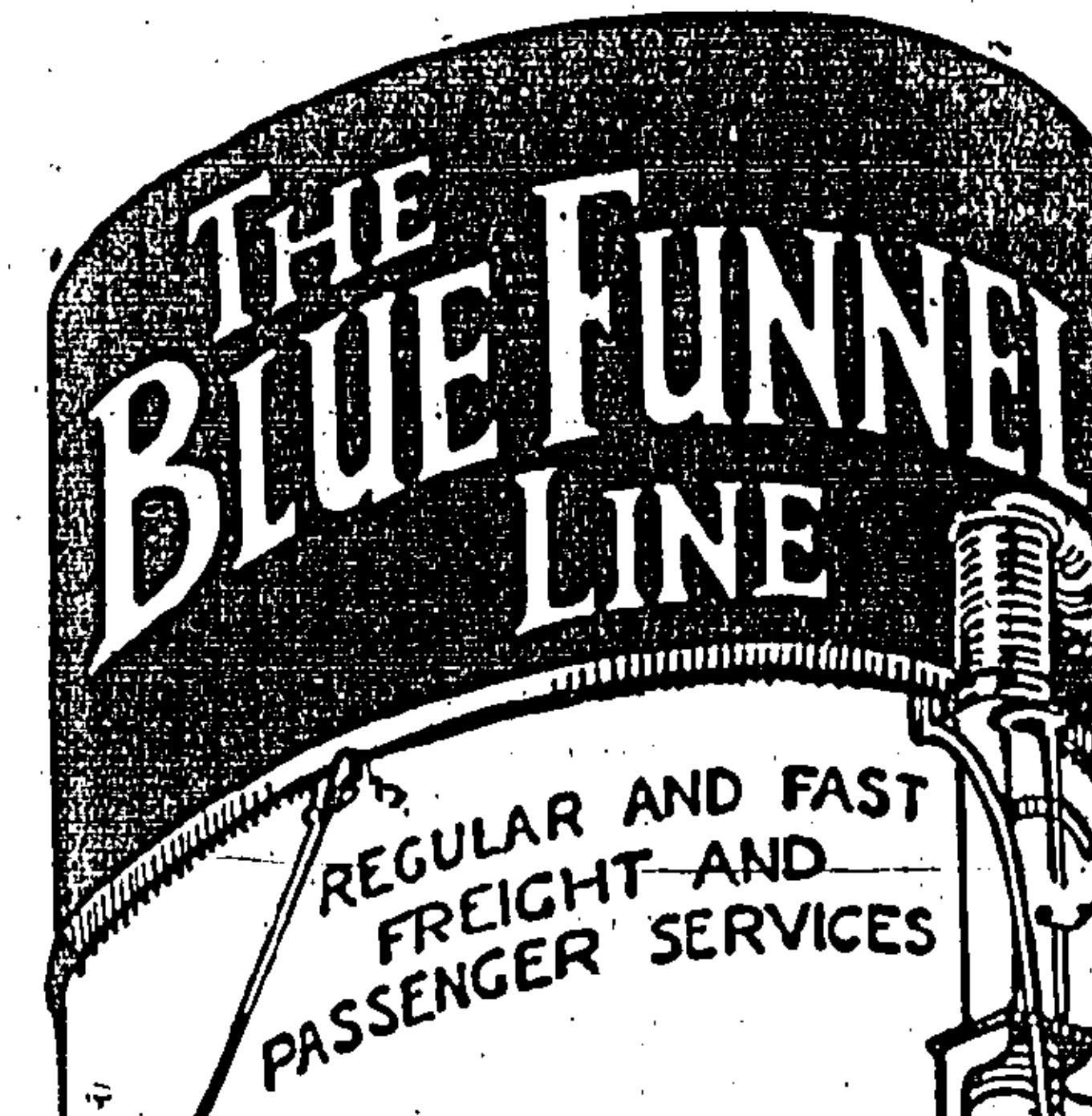
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"Bribery Won Abyssinia For Italy"—De Bono

DUCE POURED MONEY, THEN SAID "WAR!"

ROME, OCT. 25.

LIKE A THUNDERBOLT IS THE GENERAL FEELING HERE ABOUT THE BOOK, NEWLY PUBLISHED, IN WHICH MARSHAL DE BONO, ITALIAN ARMY CHIEF IN ABYSSINIA IN THE EARLY PART OF THE WAR, REVEALS THE TRUTH WITH EXTRAORDINARY CANDOUR.

The main fact admitted is that Italy won the war not by military successes but by means of extensive bribery.

From the first pages the book contradicts what the Italian Government claimed at Geneva—that Italy was not aggressor, but had been deliberately and unjustly attacked by Abyssinians.

Marshal de Bono writes:

"Real political activities in Ethiopia began in the months preceding the outbreak of the war in October 1935, after we had constituted a political office in relation with our Legation in Addis Ababa. This office had received precise instructions from Il Duce.

"Ruggieri, of the Bersaglieri Corps, was made head of the political office. He was able to trace a sure network of informers, which permitted him to maintain direct contact with the chiefs of the population whom we were to bribe.

"Two reserve officers who had been in the colonies for forty years and were always close to the natives, were selected as his aides.

"Money was not spared for the political office, and this was one of the reasons for the efficacious results."

The marshal relates how Baron Franchetti, noted African explorer, and Signor Gasparini, former Governor of Eritrea, helped in this work "without any one noticing it." They operated under the guise of business dealings.

'ALL WERE BRIBED'

In the end, says the marshal, all the regions of Ethiopia were bribed. He testifies to the excellent results—200,000 men won over to the Italians.

An autographed letter from Mussolini reads:

"If the Negus has no intention of attacking, then we must take the initiative."

"It is my conviction that as toward the end of October, or even the end of September, we will have to take the offensive, you must have at your disposal 300,000 men, 300 to 500 planes, and 300 fast motor tractors."

"You ask for three divisions by the end of October. Instead I intend sending you ten divisions. I say ten, which will be composed of five regular army divisions and five Blackshirt divisions, picked from the best. These Blackshirt divisions will be proof that this enterprise has the people's consent."

"Even in view of international controversies (I refer to the League of Nations, etc.), it is better to hasten matters. For the want of a few thousand men we lost Addis. I will not make this mistake."

Italy's troops crossed that Eritrean frontier on October 2, 1935.

De Bono states that his orders were precise, and peremptory, and that he could do nothing but obey.

"I replied," he writes, "in the usual laconic fashion, 'Okay.'"

'ORDER ADVANCE'

The marshal makes public an astonishing cable which he received from Signor Mussolini on August 21, almost two months before Italy started her "defensive" war. This message apparently refers to the Conference in Paris at which Franco-British proposals for a settlement were nullified. It read:

"Paris concluded nothing. You conclude."

AMERICA BUILDS SUPER LINERS

Washington, Oct. 20.

Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper said here that he is against the United States building "super liners" to meet foreign competition.

"Our own liners of the Manhattan or Washington type are equally serviceable in all respects to the so-called super liners," Roper said.

"I do not believe in super ships as advertising for foreign lines unless they are of bona fide nature."

He said that he felt the American ships matched those of foreign lines in service, safety and comfort.—United Press.



A ship's wedding in the captain's cabin aboard the liner Santa Paula anchored at Los Angeles saw Jean Blondell and Dick Powell, popular motion picture figures, wedded four hours before the liner sailed for New York. First two weeks of the couple's honeymoon will be spent in a two weeks' cruise after which they will return to Hollywood.

Mary Pickford May Marry In England

Kansas City, Nov. 1.

RUMOURS that Miss Mary Pickford and Charles ("Buddy") Rogers, the young dance-band leader, may marry, possibly in England, have been revived.

CENTRAL DISTRICT THREE OFFICES RAIDED DURING WEEK-END

Several thefts from offices over the week-end have been reported to the Police.

Mr. Victor Hugo, of the Government Censoring Office, Kowloon Building, states that sometime between 4.30 p.m. and 8.30 p.m. on November 14 some person entered the office by means of a rear window and stole two projection cinema lenses and a fountain pen to the total value of \$63.

Mr. Brumann, of Deaf Walbel and Co., Prince's Building, second floor, reports that between 4 p.m. on Sunday and 9 a.m. yesterday, some person or persons stole from outside his office a brass plate bearing the

Rogers is now in Kansas City and hinted that his bachelorhood may soon be ended.
After being questioned about his romance with Mary Pickford, he said: "I don't know how much longer I shall remain a bachelor, that's all I have to say."
It is stated that Rogers may go to Europe soon, and that Miss Pickford is leaving Hollywood for New York on Friday, and may go on to England in November.—United Press.

Mary Pickford is 43 years old, Budd Rogers 32.

name of the firm. The plate is stated to be worth \$4.

Mr. H. E. Arns, of the French Bank Building, third floor, reports that between November 13 and 9 a.m. yesterday, someone entered his office by forcing the lock of the door and stole property to the value of \$75.



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NAZI PROTEST REJECTED

Germans Arrested By Soviet Authorities

Berlin, Nov. 16.

Germany was to-day informed by the Soviet authorities of the names of the 14 out of 23 arrested Germans, rounded up in Russia as a result of the widespread fear of anti-Stalin plotting.

An official communique announces that nine Germans have been arrested in Moscow, 12 in Leningrad, one in Kharkov and one in Novosibirsk, none of whom has yet been allowed a visit from a German official.

They are charged with espionage, and as the authors of terrorist acts and the organisers of activities inimical to the Soviet state.

Germany regards the Russian Government's information in this matter as completely insufficient and has described the charge as incredible.

The German Government has raised a solemn protest against the mass arrests of obviously innocent citizens of Germany. But the Soviet Foreign Commissariat has rejected the protest with formal juridical explanations. Nevertheless, the German protest against the Soviet procedure is fully maintained.—*Reuter*.

MILITARY ESPIONAGE

Moscow, Nov. 16.
The German Embassy has protested against the alleged arrest of 22 German persons in Moscow and Leningrad.

The Soviet Government has rejected the protest, stating that 14 Germans, including two women, have been arrested and charged with military espionage.

The German Ambassador, Herr von Schulenburg, is hurrying to Moscow from the Caucasus.—*Reuter*.

EXPLANATION REQUESTED

Berlin, Nov. 16.
Germany has asked Moscow for a further explanation regarding the arrest of German citizens, as the reply given by the Moscow authorities is considered insufficient, owing to its general nature.

Another request for details of the actual charges against the German citizens will be submitted very shortly, according to well-informed quarters.—*Reuter*.

40 Die In Big Explosion At Marseilles

POWDER FACTORY BLOWS UP

Marseilles, Nov. 16.

Forty people are dead and three hundred injured, of whom one hundred are expected to succumb, as the result of explosions which to-day wrecked the St. Chamas powder factory here.

There were two explosions, the first being from a small fire in the tailie plant, and the second three minutes later, this being a major explosion which resulted in an enormous number of workers being wounded.

Those killed include M. La Rocque, a Director of the factory. The presence of several live electric cables and the great amount of wreckage are hampering the work of rescue.—*United Press*.

TROOPS ASSIST

Marseilles, Nov. 17.
The scene of yesterday's explosion is the largest powder factory in France, the factory covering an area of five square miles.

The death toll so far is 40, but the number is likely to be higher through the fact that members of the management, the fire brigade, and other helpers congregated to fight the flames before the explosion occurred. Rescuers worked throughout last night, using hand torches until searchlights were rushed from Istres and Berra, from where troops were also despatched to help in the rescue work.

A curious feature is that a large number of the bodies of victims so far discovered have been completely stripped of their clothing by the force of the explosion.—*Reuter*.

SUIYUAN INVADERS REPELLED

CHINA STIFFENS RESISTANCE

Peiping, Nov. 17.

After two days of fighting, in which it is estimated that aeroplanes dropped a hundred bombs on the Chinese positions, the combined Manchukuo and Mongol forces invading Eastern Suiyuan have received a sharp reverse, according to reliable Chinese reports.

Repeated attacks by cavalry and tanks, under cover of an aerial bombardment, in the Taolin and Hsinho regions, were stoutly repelled by the Chinese forces, aided by local Mongol volunteers.

After suffering heavy losses, the attackers are now reported to be abandoning the positions taken up at Hsinho and to be withdrawing into Chahar.

General Fu Tso-yi is personally directing the operations of the defending troops, with headquarters at Pingtichuan, which are assuming great strategic importance by reason of its position on the Peiping-Suiyuan Railway.—*Reuter*.

Chinese Enthusiasm

Shanghai, Nov. 17.
Shaken out of their usual apathy towards national affairs, the Chinese people are responding eagerly to the appeal for practical and moral support for the defenders of Suiyuan.

Students throughout the country have taken the lead in a publicity campaign to awaken the people to national needs in defending border territories.

A message from Kweichow states that local citizens have organised a committee to handle the money which is pouring in for the comfort of troops at the front. More than thirty Chinese organisations are being deluged with contributions, mostly from people who are patriotically adopting self-denial, such as going without meals, sacrificing visits to theatres, walking to work and dispensing with heating systems.

Meanwhile, General Fu Tso-yi's official report to Nanking has reaffirmed his intention to resist the invading Manchus and Mongols to the best of his ability.—*Reuter*.

SILK DUTIES WIPED OUT

TREASURY STATES NEW EXEMPTIONS

London, Nov. 16.

The Treasury Department has exempted from excise duty certain artificial silk yarn with ruptured filaments, first strip artificial silk straw exceeding three-eighths of an inch in width and tubular artificial silk straw in pieces, not exceeding ten inches in length.

The order also provides for consequential modifications of existing drawback duties, and becomes effective on December 1.—*Reuter*.



A Seaforth Highlander, wounded during a skirmish with Arabs in Palestine, being carried down the gangway of the liner Laurence on arrival at Southampton. The Seaforths are due in Hongkong early in January.

BANNING POLITICAL UNIFORMS

SIMON ASKS FOR QUICK ACTION APPEALS TO COMMONS

London, Nov. 16.

Moving the second reading of the public order bill prohibiting the wearing of political uniforms in public, Sir John Simon said to-day in the House of Commons that the Government invited the House's co-operation in passing the measure without delay.

There was a serious public nuisance to be dealt with in the growth of groups sometimes in uniform and sometimes carrying weapons, who by their over-bearing and insulting behaviour and organised rowdiness were threatening to undermine the foundations of British liberty.

The Government, he said, asked the House to deal with the situation before it developed into something more serious and more difficult to deal with.—*Reuter*.

PRESERVING FREEDOM

London, Nov. 16.
In moving the second reading of the Bill, which, inter alia, will prohibit the wearing of political uniforms, the Home Secretary, Sir John Simon, said since the war developments in Europe had tended to let loose extremist doctrines which in their application had this special quality, that they were essentially intolerant of those who held contrary views. If they succeeded, they would do their utmost to stop the expression of different opinions, and, in the meantime, they were ready, if not use, at least to display, force to spread their views.

The great characteristic of British political life was its tolerance. Parliament must secure that all methods employed in support of a political creed will be consistent with the preservation of the rights of the general public. There was abundant evidence that a serious public nuisance had developed in the (Continued on Page 5.)

PRIEST ESCAPES BANDITS

WHEN TROOPS MAKE SUDDEN ATTACK

Tokyo, Nov. 17.

After having been held captive by bandits since February 2 in an almost impenetrable mountain fortress in south-eastern Manchuria, the Rev. Father Joseph Clarence Burns, an American Roman Catholic missionary, has escaped and is expected to arrive in Tungshuo, to the east of Mukden, to-day.

A Chinese captive named Wu was his companion in his dash for liberty.

They gained their freedom while troops were attacking the bandit forces.

During Father Burns' captivity, the bandits made extravagant demands for his ransom. One of them was for \$5,000,000 in cash and a supply of modern weapons, including artillery.—*Reuter*.

WORLD PEACE FIRST

ROOSEVELT STATES HIS POLICY WILL ATTEND CONFERENCE

Washington, Nov. 16.

President F. D. Roosevelt has definitely decided to go to Buenos Aires for the American peace conference, and will probably leave to-morrow to attend these historic talks, according to the contents of a statement issued for the benefit of the mayors of various American ports affected by the widespread shipping strike. These executives have asked him to intervene in the dispute.

"As between this strike and whatever the effect of my visit to South America may have on the peace of the world—the peace of the world is the most important of the two," said the chief executive.

President Roosevelt expressed the hope that ship-owners and strikers would recognise this fact, and come together.

A conference of the mayors of New York, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Philadelphia, Boston, Portland and other cities, has appealed to all parties to the dispute to submit their differences to arbitration.—*Reuter*.

MADMAN MASSACRES VILLAGE DREADFUL CRIME IN ALBERTA

Tieland, Alta., Nov. 16.

Deranged over his discharge as a railway foreman, Carl Sheils massacred this little railroad village's entire population of six.

He shot Carl Nelson, his successor to the foremanship of the road gang, and by the same means slew George Ruel and John Marcinluk, section hands.

He then used his rifle to club to death Mrs. Nelson and her three-year-old son, Edward, and then took his own life.

Apparently the tragedy occurred on Saturday, but it was not disclosed until the railway telegraph had repeatedly called Tieland without response.—*United Press*.

NO MORE CASES OF DYSENTERY

That the dysentery outbreak is now on the wane appears to be borne out by the fact that no further cases had been reported up to 9.30 this morning.

This information was obtained from Dr. G. W. Pope, Medical Officer of Health, in reply to enquiries made by the Telegraph this morning.

GERMAN ACTION ATTACKED

MR. EDEN REBUKES REPUDIATION NEGOTIATION ABANDONED

London, Nov. 16.

Discussing Germany's repudiation of the Waterways Clauses of the Treaty of Versailles in the House of Commons, Mr. Anthony Eden, Foreign Secretary, said Germany had on many occasions since the signature of the Treaty signified her dissatisfaction over the internationalisation of her rivers.

Mr. Eden recalled Herr Hitler's speech in May, 1935, when he said Germany would only carry out by peaceful understanding such inevitable revision. Protracted negotiations had occurred with the object of reconciling the German desire with the interests of other Powers concerned, with considerable success. In these circumstances, it was a matter of regret to the British Government that at a time when the discussions were proceeding, and despite the assurances given by Herr Hitler last year, the German Government should once again have abandoned the procedure of negotiation in favour of unilateral action.

These regrets were not due to fears that any important British trading interests were jeopardised, but to the fact that action of this character must render somewhat difficult the conduct of international relations.—*Reuter Special*.

SHARP REBUKE

London, Nov. 16.
Mr. Anthony Eden, speaking in the House of Commons to-day, sharply rebuked Germany for repudiating the Versailles Treaty "river clauses." He regretted, he said, that "Germany had abandoned negotiation in favour of unilateral action, while discussions were proceeding, and despite last year's assurances."—*United Press*.

ROOSEVELT GIVES HOPE TO ROPER

SHIPPING STRIKE MAY BE ENDED

Washington, Nov. 16.

Mr. Daniel C. Roper, Secretary of Commerce, discussed the shipping strike with President F. D. Roosevelt to-day, declaring that the prospects of a settlement appeared more hopeful.

President Roosevelt is issuing a proclamation inviting the nations of the world to participate in a New York world's fair in 1939 in order to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the inauguration of the first president of the United States and the establishment of the national government in New York city.—*Reuter*.

FAIR WEATHER

The anticyclone is moving eastward, pressure being highest over Japan and neighbouring seas. Local forecast:—N.E. winds, fresh; fair.

REBELS RAIN OF DEATH ON MADRID

Planes Spread Terror In Loyalist Capital

NEW HORRORS IN SPAIN'S INTERNECINE WAR

Madrid, Nov. 17.

THAT the enemy is within the gate is now definitely established.

A column of Nationalists, mostly Moroccans, has penetrated the University City inside Madrid, but has left its communications unprotected.

The Loyalists have fiercely counter-attacked and claim to have completely surrounded the invaders.—*Reuter*.

AIR FRIGHTFULNESS

Madrid, Nov. 17.

The capital's most frightful air raid so far occurred last evening, causing widespread destruction and a very heavy death-roll.

The raiders rained powerful aerial torpedoes and incendiary shells, notably in the quarter between Atocha Square, Calle de Leon and the Cortes Square.

Many buildings were set afire, including the Provincial and San Carlos Hospitals.

Lurid flames illuminated the sky, and firemen were impotent to cope with the outbreak. The population was demented by the crashing of bombs and the rattle of anti-aircraft guns. They began to emerge to assist in rescue work when a second visitation started.—*Reuter*.

Madrid, Nov. 16.

In the third attack for the day, the rebels rained forty bombs on the centre of the city, mostly incendiary. Fires started in a dozen localities simultaneously.

Fire broke out in a church in which many refugees were quartered.

Darkness nullified the work of the anti-aircraft guns, and bombs fell near the Prado Art Gallery, while two fell in square near the United Press office, injuring two men, although not seriously. Ciriano Pacheco Calvo, a correspondent of the Mexico paper, *El Nacional*.

An earlier bombardment killed two prisoners and eight militiamen in a model gaol, and wrecked the guardroom.—*United Press*.

"Only Just Beginning"

Valencia, Nov. 16.

"The war is only now beginning," declared Senor Lugo Caballero, the Premier, in the course of an interview to-day.

The Premier added that even if Madrid should be captured, it would only have a moral value. The war would continue as long as there was a yard of Spanish territory to defend.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service*.

Manzanares Crossed

Madrid, Nov. 16.

Indications that the insurgents have succeeded in crossing the Manzanares River, despite yesterday's dynamiting of the French bridge, are afforded by the heavy fighting which is proceeding around the University City, which, according to an insurgent communiqué, the insurgent troops have entered by the Puerto River, occupying a number of buildings.

To-day's offensive was preceded by a violent artillery bombardment and an air raid over the western sector above the North Station.

The bombardment continued all day long, high explosive shells landing every five minutes. Great damage was done, but there was no loss of life.

The Government claims to have brought down one three-engined enemy Junker machine near the racetrack, and to have bombed insurgent concentrations in the People's Park, from which the batteries are shelling Madrid.—*Reuter*.

Taking Command

Cayenne, Nov. 16.

The Government commander for Bilbao and the whole Biscay front, General Lano de Necoima, has arrived at Bilbao by air from (Continued on Page 5.)

Colossal Defence Bill For U.S.

AMERICA JOINS THE MAD RACE

Washington, Nov. 16.

A one billion dollar Defence Budget looms as a major hurdle in the Administration's effort to cut expenditure.

Last Congress approved of increasing the Army to 165,000 men and voted to extend the Army Air Corps expansion programme, at the same time approving initial appropriations for the Army and Navy, designed to convert Hawaii into a Pacific "Gibraltar," which will require large appropriations next session.

The harbour defence projects, mainly on the Pacific coast and Hawaii, will ultimately cost \$31,000,000, of which only one-fifth was appropriated last year.

Meanwhile, the naval authorities are urging an increase of the naval personnel to 100,000, in order to keep abreast with the ship construction programme, on which it is estimated that an appropriation of \$147,000,000 will be required in 1937 to complete several vessels and start the building of others.—*United Press*.

STOP PRESS

M.C.C. DOING WELL

Sydney, Nov. 17.
Being 351 runs in arrears, the M.C.C. team continued their second innings in the last day of the match against New South Wales to-day.

The overnight score was 85 for two, and when the lunch interval was called the score was 139 for three.—*Reuter*.

The M.C.C. added another 20 runs without the loss of a further wicket.—*Reuter*.

The ten score was 237 for 4.—*Reuter*.

Is Your Name JEAN?

Symbol: A fishermalder carrying a full creel.
THE name signifies divine favour, courage, uprightness and pureness of heart.
 Tuesday is your lucky day and the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. promise most of fortune. The 10th day of the month is the luckiest if your name is Jean.
 The colours that are in harmony with your name are purple and all shades of red. You can wear these colours or use them in your decorations.
 Your lucky stone is the ruby. Wear it and you will be fortunate in love.
 Your lucky number is 9, and the flower assigned to you is the wild geranium.

FOR THE CHILLY MORTAL

By Jacqueline Howard

A GREAT DEAL of the art of looking well in cold weather depends upon keeping warm. To-day you can have vests, panties, camisoles, nightgowns and pyjamas which give at least twice the warmth of silks, have the softest of textures, and even the warmest are pleasant to look at and not in the least bulky.

Most of them are in a mixture of silk and wool, though some are in very finely-woven wool or in heavy, woven silk. A gentle peach is better than white, which will not look as well after many tubbings as the peach.

For fashioning the shapes a variety of delicate stitchings is introduced, either more or less heavy, according to whether you want the garments for really hard everybody or sports wear, or for evening.

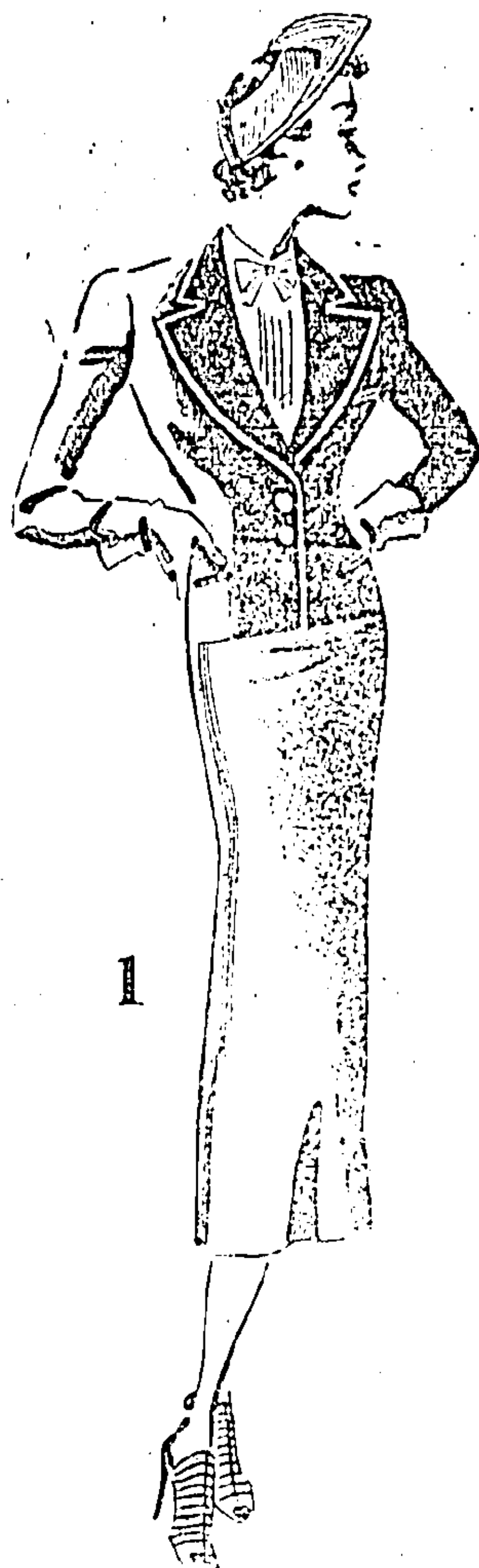
For numbers of people the heavy-weight silk provides all the extra protection necessary, particularly with knickers closed at the knee. But for the real chilly mortal wool or silk and wool are more comforting. The day-time vests and camiknickers have cleverly-shaped bra-zi-ers tops and often bands of finer, closer weaving at the waistline which help considerably towards that very trim-ribbed and neat waisted effect this winter's clothes demand.

For nights there are nightdresses and pyjamas in the same soft woven fabrics and with the same band of closer weaving at the waistline. There are also nightdresses and pyjamas made in nursing or V-neck, bound and monogrammed in contrasting colour.

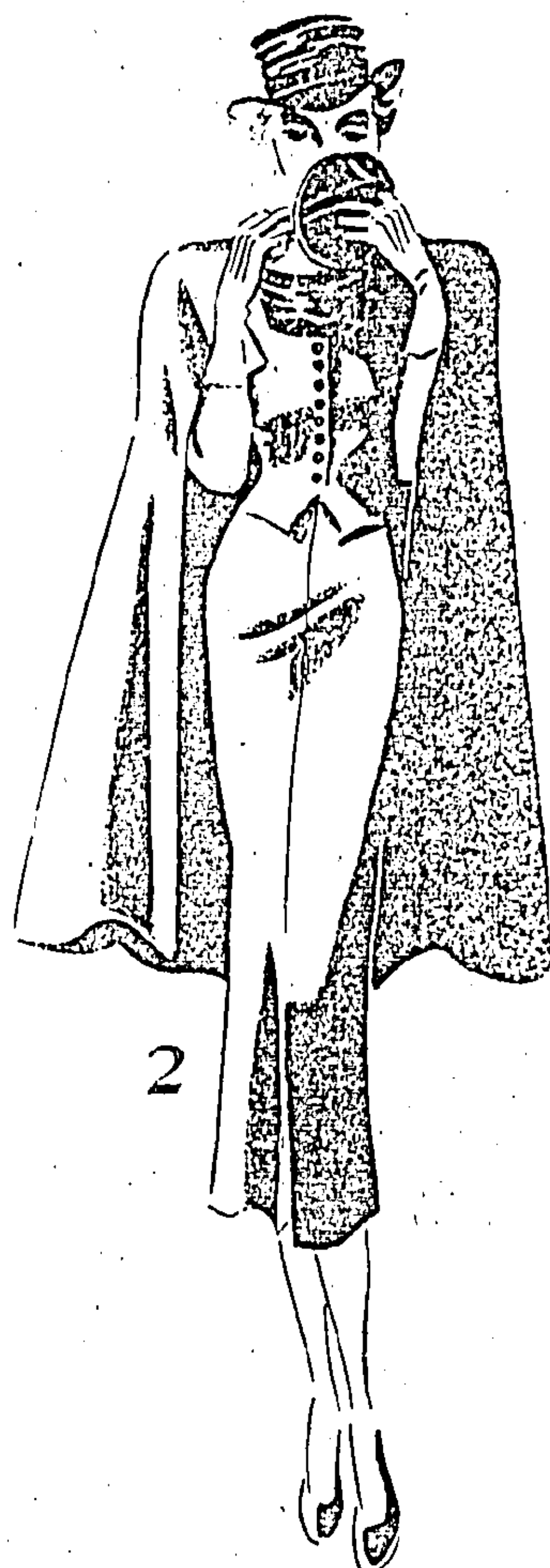
There are lacy Shetland wool nightdresses lined with chiffon and matched by early-morning jackets and dressing gowns, and to people in search of just something warm and delicious to enfold themselves in while enjoying early morning tea, I commend the new Shetland shawls, which are produced in such entrancing colours.

Transatlantic Fashionews

... showing how you can adapt these American dress ideas to your own use...



1 You zip everywhere...



ZIP on hats is used by American manufacturers and dressmakers much more generally, and un-imaginatively, than over here. Drawing shows one of the new crownless pique hats with stitched brim—almost square, like a sun-shield turned up. Band encircling back of head zips up the middle. Idea is that, unzipped, the hat stretches out flat, for home washing and ironing.

Suit of navy wool fabric shows zip fastenings on pockets and skirt. Double revers and fancy edgings (Viennese braids, castellated or scalloped piques) are all over New York. On a dark suit like this the second band of white pique—with matching buttons—can be changed, in autumn, for darker edging and buttons.

GLOVES of white pique, zip fasten down centre back of hand.

SHOES: New Yorkers all wear sandal types. Smartest are those that have narrow straps mounting high on the ankle arch.

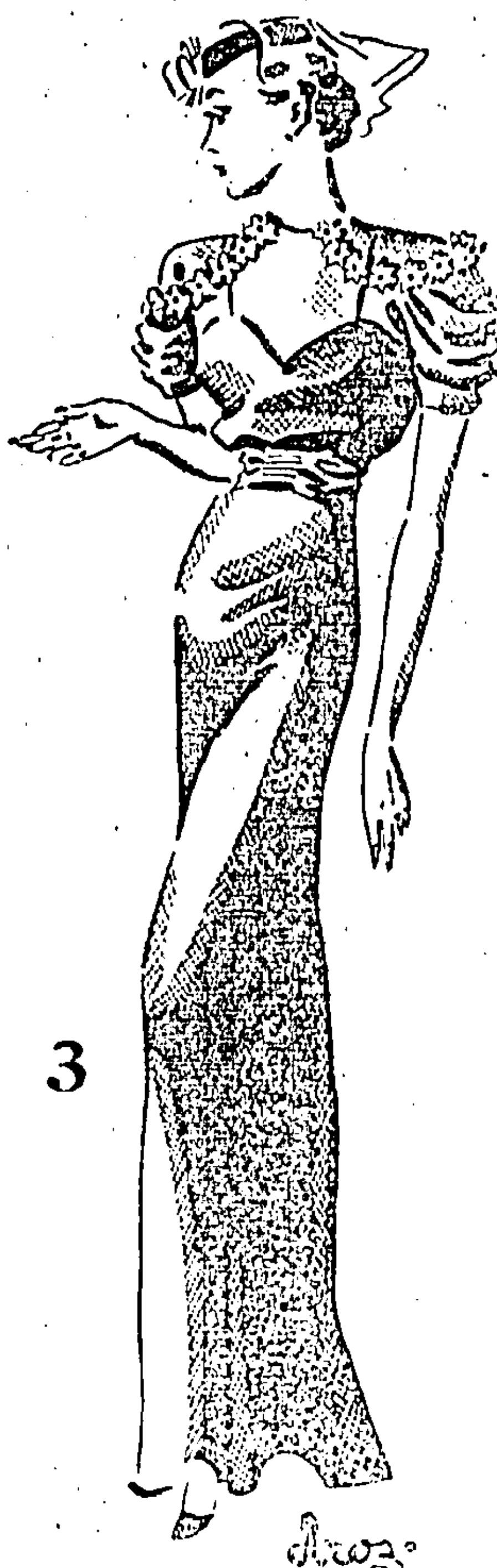
2 Next Autumn...

AUTUMN fashions already to be seen in some New York shops. LONG CAPES, fitting close on the shoulder, hanging straight, made up in fairly heavy wool fabrics.

CONCERTINA HATS, looking like debauched opera hats and made of rather hairy felts.

BAG DESIGNS echoing line of the hat they go with (like the one in this drawing).

"ENGLISH" type waistcoats (well, we don't have to adapt those).



For the hostess... 3

HOSTESS gowns are what they call the sort of dress you can wear for a quiet dinner, cinema, or for a dressed-up afternoon with a hat. Some of these dresses are even more hospitable and will look like a really ritzy dressing-gown (in your mother's day they were called "rest" gown) as well.

THIS ONE, rather more formal, is of coarse black net oversetting a black maroon sly. Sleeves are draped in loose folds, like curtain drapes. Daisy chains hang from neck to shoulder.

HAT for late afternoon is just a band of velvet with a kerchief of net caught on with a few stitches, so that it looks as though it is thrown on, like a veil.

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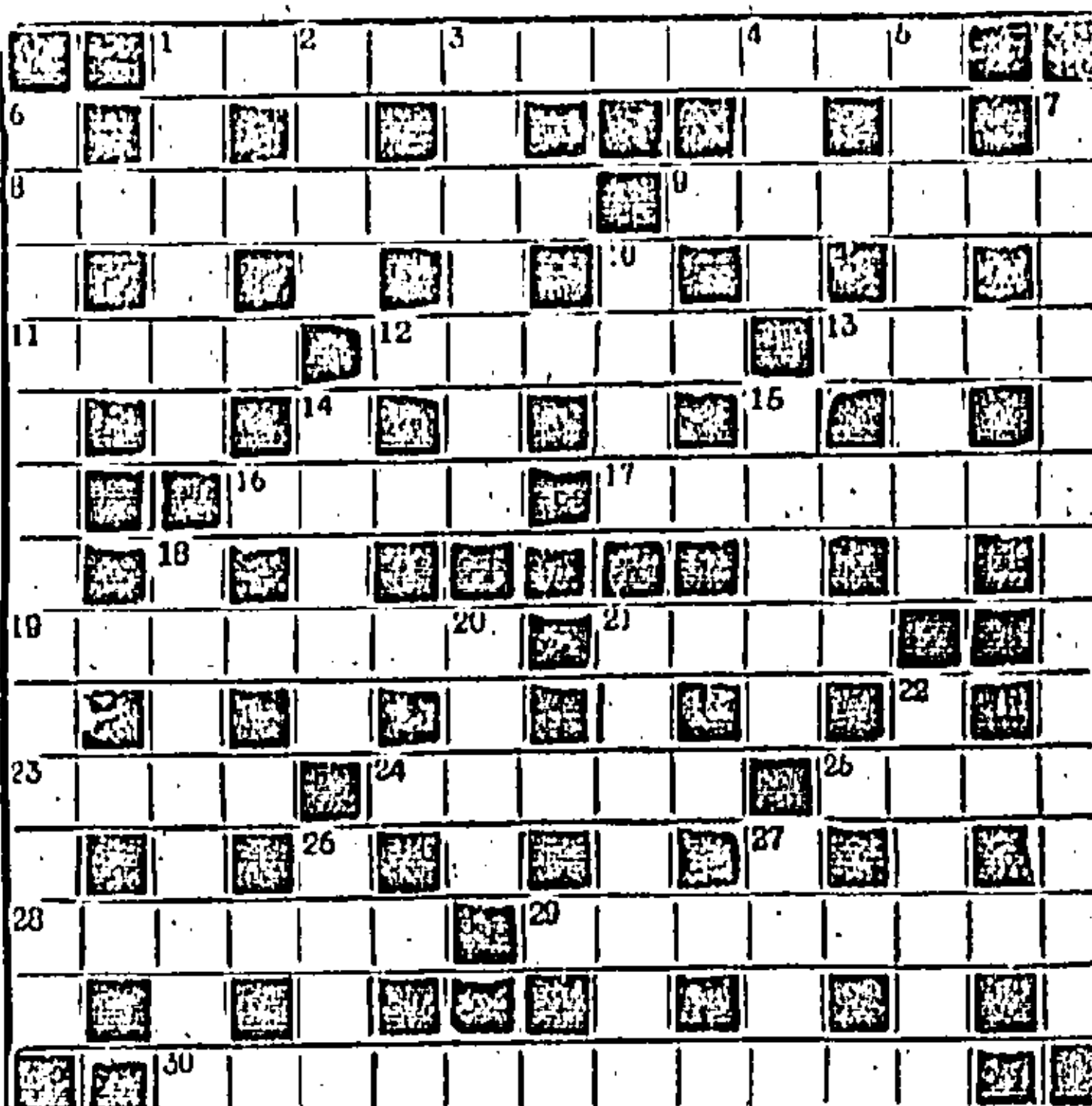
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- You have to struggle with rivets.
- How marsh-weeds grow in verse.
- Twenty only half excel.
- The track that takes the shillings.
- Thin marbles, I've no doubt.
- Where hornets go in to become smaller.
- Deliver only one way, so much abused.
- What a Welsh poet looks like from the back.
- Reverse this.
- Though in a most peculiar way, ride aloft it seems to say.
- Boys love what pigs do, don't they?
- Though it makes one feel sick, one must admit there's some use in it.
- State a banker's arrangement here.
- What dentists make when they can't stop.

DOWN

- Likely to be working in concert with others.
- Go portion up.
- Shades of France.
- Alldavits are made on these as well as on paper.
- Three of a sort.

Working in concert.

- Here you may hunt—for piec- (Two words, 6, 7).
- These always upset brothers in a firm.
- Levers made by a tool in an afterthought. "Ware catches."
- A salt for the artist in the case.
- Prefer that is over when half done.
- The fool might as well be told, anyway.
- Just a way of speaking.
- Critical points when a rise has to be considered.
- Sustenance.
- Four letters for three.

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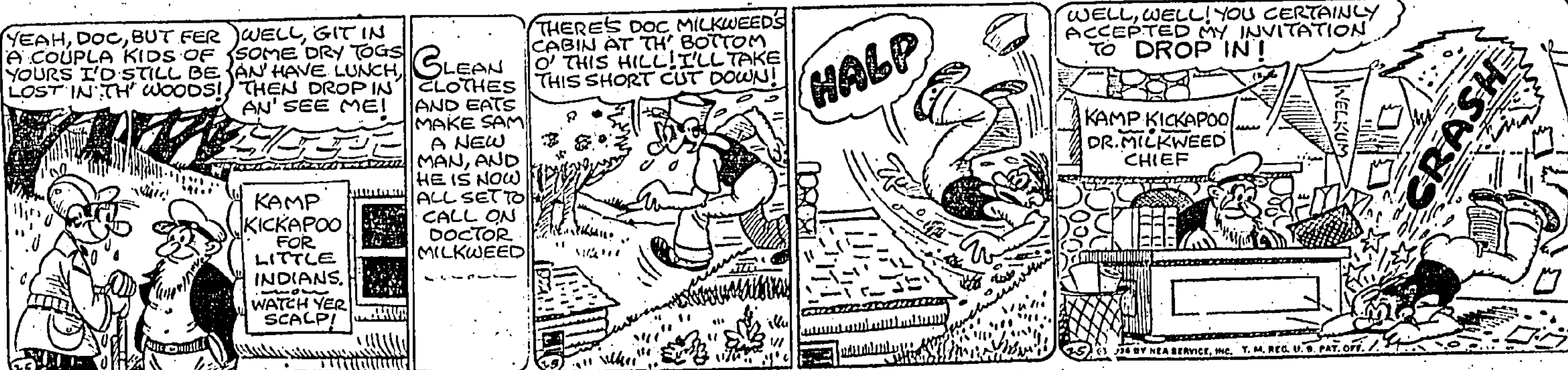
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GIRL PAT SKIPPERS' STORY OF OCEAN VOYAGE

'SHIP WAS TO BE GOT RID OF' HE SAYS

SKIPPER GEORGE BLACK ORSBORNE, giving evidence in the Girl Pat case at the Old Bailey, declared that Mr. Tom Moore, managing director of the trawler's owners, told him to take a ship out and "see she makes the biggest trip she has ever made."

"I understood he wanted to get rid of one of the ships," Orsborne told Mr. Christopher Humphreys, for the defence. Skipper Orsborne (known as "Dod") is accused with his brother James of stealing the Girl Pat, owned by the Marstrand Fishing Company, of Grimsby.

Both plead not guilty to the charge which follows a six-weeks' voyage of ocean adventure. George Frederick Jefferson, of Milford Haven, an engineer, said in evidence that Skipper Orsborne told him on April 3 that he would like to go to the west coast of Scotland and asked if the engines would be all right to stop at sea for five or six weeks. He (Jefferson) told him that they would.

Mr. Paley Scott, K.C., prosecuting, then called two directors of the Marstrand Fishing Company, who denied the suggestion made by Mr. Flowers that the company was in financial difficulty.

Mr. Paley Scott asked Mr. Jack Vincent, a Grimsby fish merchant and a Marstrand director:

"Did you ever hear of a suggestion from anybody that it would pay this company to lose a ship to get the insurance money?—It is perfectly ridiculous."

IN DOVER PATROL AT 14

George Orsborne, giving evidence, said he lived as a boy in Aberdeen. At 14 he went into the Navy by saying that he was 17½. He volunteered for the Dover Patrol and served in it while he was still 14.

He left the Navy in December, 1919, and went home to Aberdeen and worked on a farm. There he met Captain Wilkins, skipper at one time of the Cutty Sark. Captain Wilkins, who was then 86, persuaded him to go back to sea.

Later, he said, Mr. Moore told him he could have a half share in the Gipsy Love, and 15 per cent. of the net earnings; he had to find £100 as security.

"Alterations were made to the Gipsy Love and I sailed in her," continued Orsborne.

"Mr. Moore said it was not a success I was to go to a place called Ullapool, a small loch in the West Hebrides."

Mr. Justice Singleton: Did you go to Ullapool?—I took the ship home in disgust.

Mr. Christopher Humphreys (de-

Spanish Interlude

Skipper George Orsborne gave an explanation of how he came to give his name as "George Black" at Coreublon.

He had started to sign his name and had got as far as "Black" when a Spanish official said: "Sir, si, negro." "I said 'Negro? No, Skipper,'" said Orsborne. "So I wrote down 'George Black, Skipper.'"

was rather generous in giving me boots and a quilted suit."

FOUND ATLAS IN COAT POCKET

There was a chart on board covering the area from England to Iceland waters, but not giving anything south of the Royal Sovereign Lightship.

He found an atlas belonging to his eldest boy in the pocket of his coat, and that was his only chart for the rest of the trip round the world.

Off Jersey he told the men they would circle round the South Atlantic, back by the North Atlantic, and leave the ship in Grimsby.

Mr. Humphreys: Who was to pay for provisions on the way?—The Marstrand Company or Mr. Moore.

Why?—I thought he would not object. It would be a sort of punishment for asking us to take one of his ships out in the condition he did.

At Coreublon he said a Spaniard came on board and offered 16,000 pesetas and another ship he was using for smuggling for the Girl Pat. The offer was refused.

Orsborne had not finished his evidence when the trial was adjourned.

BURIED BY AVALANCHE OF GOLD

To be buried under between 500 and 600 tons of gold ore for 11 hours was the experience of Reuben Stokes, a gold miner at Kalgoolie, Western Australia which is at present sharing in the Australian gold revival.

He was working in an ore pass leading from the surface of the mine to the 100 ft. level when the pass, following a shot to loosen the ore, became jammed. He went to investigate, the ore started to move and he was buried under an avalanche of gold, says Austral News.

GERMAN PITIES OUR "FREEDOM"

BRITONS are not really free—despite frequent claims to freedom. An almost cruel method is used to restrict their liberty.

So declares a German, Count Puckler, its London Correspondent, writing in the *Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung*.

The reason is, he says, that the Englishman has been trained up from childhood to think that "it is a crime to be different."

"This method of education," writes the Count (according to Reuters) "may seem to our taste to go too far, for it encroaches on every realm of personal life in which we are accustomed to greater freedom."

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MANILA SHARES

The following quotations have been received by Swan, Culbertson and Fritz from their Manila office after the close of the morning session:

	Prices in Pesos	Buyers	Sellers
Antanok	3.55	3.70	
Atok	56	57	
Baguio Gold	29	30	
Benguet Consolidated	14.75	15.00	
Benguet Exploration	18	20	
Big Wedge	46	49	
Coco Grove	1.15	1.20	
Consolidated Mines	04	04.25	
Dayaka	33	34	
Demonstration	90	91	
East Mindanao	36	38	
Gold Creek	26	27	
Gumauas Gold	33	34	
Hogon	1.85	1.90	
I. X. L.	1.70	1.80	
Marsman	1.15	1.22	
Masbate	48	49	
Mineral Resources	45	46	
Mother Lode	20	22	
Paracale Gold	30	32	
Paracale Gumauas	55	56	
San Mauricio	2.70	2.80	
Suyoc	55	57	
United Paracale	1.60	1.70	
Universal Exploration	35	36	
Market—Steady.			

U.S. GOODWILL VISIT

Singapore, Nov. 17. The United States Asiatic fleet arrived here today on a goodwill visit. The U.S.S. Augusta firing a salute and H.M.S. Danae replying.

NOTICE

In connection with the Dysentery epidemic we beg to advise that from to-day and until further notice all Milk and Cream supplied by this Company will be Pasteurized.

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AMATEUR ACTING

(Continued from Page 6.)

ing and the relation between the actor and his audience. As I have said before, the treatment will necessarily be concise, and I shall try to include only points of prime importance. The details can be filled in by further study of specialised books. Questions of production and stage-management will not enter into these articles at all, but they should be studied by the actor who wishes to have a comprehensive knowledge of his art.

The voice is an instrument just as much as the violin or the piano, and there is a right and a wrong way of using it. Instead of straining, the voice has vocal cords, and instead of fingers or a bow, the player uses his tongue, teeth, lips, and lungs.

Correct breathing is the first essential of correct speaking. The sounds are pushed out of the mouth, and it is by the breath, and the only effective way of increasing volume in speech is by using more breath. The ordinary method of breathing through the nose is sufficient for stage purposes, and must be supplemented by abdominal breathing.

This means that the action of the lungs, usually brought about by drawing in the sides of the chest, must be assisted by drawing in the stomach. The amount of breath thus inhaled is too great to be taken in by the nose, and the mouth must be slightly opened to allow free passage for the air. Take a deep breath before each sentence, and let it out evenly and economically, replenishing the supply at every possible pause. If the text of the part is badly punctuated, you may find it necessary to insert pauses of your own. Do not let these be too frequent, and avoid taking in breath in short gasps. At every full stop or long pause, take a very deep breath before proceeding.

By the Open Window

The lungs will have to be exercised regularly until they are accustomed to this concentrated use. Apart entirely from stage practice, breathing is a very important factor in the possession of a healthy body, which incidentally is an absolute necessity to the actor. Deep breathing exercises, accompanied by arm-raising and lowering, as taught in all physical training systems, should be done in front of an open window every morning.

In this way a strong and healthy breathing system will be developed, which will, as well as giving the actor a strong instrument to play on, materially assist in removing those troubles which so often affect the speech of people living in congested and smoky districts. You must always be conscious of your breathing, until correct use of the organs becomes quite automatic and natural.

Next — Enunciation. Resonance. Pronunciation. Variety in Speech. Inflection. Tone.

DORADO DUE TO-DAY

The Imperial Airways liner Dorado, bringing European mails, left Tsimshai at dawn this morning and is due in Hongkong at 11.15 a.m.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks.
H. K. Banks, \$1,080 b.
H. K. Banks (Lon. Reg.) £107 n.
Chartered Bank, £15½ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B. £32½ n.
Mercantile Bank, C., £14½ n.
East Asia Bank, \$83 n.

Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$263 b.
Union Ins., \$800 b.
China Underwriters, \$1.00 n.
H. K. Fire, Ins., \$255 n.
Internat'l Assce., Sh. \$3¼ n.
Shipping.
Douglas, \$30 n.
H. K. Steamboats, \$6.75 n.
Indo-China (Pref.), \$35 n.
Indo-China (Def.), \$36 n.
Shell (Barrow), 117/6 n.
Union Waterboats, 10½ n.

Docks etc.

H. K. Wharves (old), \$109 n.
H. K. & W. Docks, \$14 n.
Providents (old), \$2.10 n.
Providents (new), 20 cts n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$81½ n.

Mining

Kailan Mining Ad., 15/- n.
Rauha, \$12.10 b.
Venz: Goldfield \$6¼ b.

Philippine Mining

Antamok, P. 3.70
Atok, P. 57
Baguio Gold, P. 29½
Balatoc Min., P. 15
Benguet Consols, P. 14½
Benguet Expl., 29 cts b.
Big Wedges, P. 48
Consolidated Mines, P. 04
Demonstrations, P. 91
Ipo Gold, P. 24
I. X. L., P. 1.75
Itogons, P. 1.85
Masbate Consol, P. 49
Northern Min., P. 23
Paracale Gumauas, P. 65
Salacot Min., P. 07
San Mauricio, P. 2.75
Suyoc Consols, P. 56
United Paracale, P. 1.65

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$6 a.
H. K. Lands, \$38½ a.
H. K. Lands, 4% Deben. \$105 n.
S'hai Lands, Sh. \$13 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.
Humphries, \$9½ b. and sa.
H. K. Realities, \$5.50 n.
Chinese Estates, \$78 n.
China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.
China Debutures Sh. \$30 n.

Public Utilities

H. K. Tramways, \$12 n.
Peak Trams, (old), 50½ n.
Peak Trams, (new), 52½ n.
Star Ferries, (old), \$92½ b.
Yau-mat Ferries (old), 25 b.
China Lights, \$13.65 b.
China Lights, (new), 10½ n.
H. K. Electric, \$52 b.
Macao Electric, \$20 n.
Sandalwood Light, \$4.50 n.
Telephone (old), \$28½ b.
Telephone (new), \$10.05 n.
China Buses, Sh. \$11½ n.
Singapore Tractors, 27/- n.
Singapore Pref. 27/- n.
Industrials
Cold: Macg. (old), Sh. \$19½ n.
Cold: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$15 n.
Canton Iron, \$2.20 n.
Cement, \$10.80 b.
H. K. Ropes, \$3.90 a.

Stores, &c.

Dairy Farm, \$22 n.
Watson, \$4.55 n.
Lane Crawford's, 56½ n.
Sincere, \$3 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$50 n.
Cotton Mills
Evo Cottons, Sh. \$11.20 b.
S'hai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$82 n.
S'hai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$45 n.
Zong Singa, \$21 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$25 n.
Miscellaneous
H. K. Entertainments, \$3 n.
Constructions (old), 1½ n.
Constructions (new), 42½ cts n.
Vibro Piling, \$5.30 n.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.Sbds 92½ n.
H. K. Govt. 4% Loan 8% prm. b.
H. K. Govt. 3½% Loan 3% prm. b.
Wallace Harpers, \$4 n.

EXCHANGE

Selling

T.T. Demand 1/2%
T.T. Shanghai 1/2%
T.T. Singapore 52½
T.T. Japan 106
T.T. India 82
T.T. U.S.A. 30½
T.T. Manila 53
T.T. Batavia 53½
T.T. Bangkok 149½
T.T. Saigon 65
T.T. France 65
T.T. Germany 74½
T.T. Switzerland 131½
T.T. Australia 176½
T.T. Lisbon 6570

Buying

4 m/s. L/C London 1/3½
4 m/s. D/P do 1/3½
4 m/s. L/C U.S.A. 30½
4 m/s. France 63½
30 d/s India 63½
U.S. Cross rate in London 4.89

NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGE

MARKET UPWARD.
YESTERDAY

New York, Nov. 16. S. C. & F. Dow Jones summary of yesterday's markets—Prices today advanced after nearly a week's recession. Coppers recovered smartly. Gains in utilities were a feature of late trading. Steels were again in demand. Rails gained slightly. Many new high levels were registered, although the averages were still under the tops reached after the Election. The Bond Market and the Curb Exchange were both higher. S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment—Retail auto-sales at the shows are much ahead of those of last year. Net earnings of railroads for this year are likely to be the best since 1930. The failure of dividend declarations to influence prices suggests that speculative possibilities have been discounted for the present. Professional traders are present are mostly bearish. There has been much demand for amusement shares from within the industry itself.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: Stocks today were in renewed demand and traders are bullish for the outlook. The price of lead advanced by two dollars for the week was 10½ as compared with 10½ for last week and 90.9 for the same week of last year.

Cotton: There was a good trade demand for December, while hedging was principally confined to the later months. The undertone of the market is firmer.

Wheat: The mills are reported to be buyers for December. Cash premiums are steadier in most markets. Crop reports from Australia and the Argentine are excellent. There has been a visible decrease of 1,110,000 bushels.

Corn: The weather is ideal for the movement of the crop and for the completion of husking, but the country is not pressing supplies and the cash position is steady. There has been a visible decrease in supplies of 750,000 bushels.

Rubber: Outside interest is increasing and a substantial demand from dealers is reported. English stocks have decreased by 903 tons.

REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:
Nov. 14. Nov. 16.
30 Industrials 181.45 182.65
20 Rails 50.02 50.30
20 Utilities 33.93 34.80
40 Bonds 105.41 105.49
11 Commodity Index 70.65 71.33

U.S. COMMODITY
PRICES

LATEST CABLED
QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuter.

New York Cotton

December 11.73/74 11.84/84
January 11.61/61 11.74/74
March 11.59/60 11.74/76
May 11.55/56 11.80/80
July 11.45/46 11.58/58
October 11.11/11 11.24/24
Spot 12.18 12.29

New York Rubber

December 17.85/85 18.06/07
January 17.80 18.00n
March 17.90/80 18.10/12
May 17.94/95 18.13n
July 17.97n 18.16n
September 18.01/01 18.18/20
October 18.04n 18.21n
Total sales—2,200 tons.

Chicago Wheat

December 110½/110½ 118½/118½
May 114½/114½ 115½/115½
July 109½/109½ 110½/109½
Saturday's sales, 14,402,000 bushels.

Chicago Corn

December 102½/102½ 103½/103½
May 95½/95½ 96½/96½
July 91½/91½ 92½/93
Total sales—1,200 tons.

Winnipeg Wheat

November 108½/108½ 109/109
December 108½/108½ 109½/109½
May 107½/107½ 107½/108

EXCHANGE RATES

Paris, Nov. 13. Nov. 16.
Geneva 21.22/24 105.9/04
Berlin 12.12½ 12.15
Athens 545 545
Milan 92½ 92½
Copenhagen 22.40 22.40
Stockholm 19.39½ 19.39½
Shanghai 1/2 1/2
New York 4.88½ 4.88½
Amsterdam 9.05½ 9.04½
Vienna 20½ 20½
Prague 137½ 138½
Lisbon 110½ 110½
Hongkong 1/3 1/3
Bombay 1/8 1/8
Montreal 4.87½ 4.87½
Belgrade 28.80 28.80
Yokohama 1/2 1/2
Manila 213 213
Monte Video 39½ 39½
Bucharest 660½ 660½
Silver (forward) 21 21
Silver (Spot) 21 21
War Loan 100½ 100½

—British Wireless.

An application was made by Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmit, before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the confiscation of 600 gallons of Chinese spirituous liquor, unclaimed and unmanifested on board the cargo ship Pacific. The application was granted, as was another for the confiscation of a quantity of Chinese coins seized on board the steamer Wo Ping Yee on November 16, also unclaimed and unmanifested.

CINEMA
NOTES

It was peculiarly fortunate that when Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer determined to produce the picture called "His Brother's Wife," W. S. Van Dyke was available to direct it. The picture is at the King's Theatre today with Hollywood's most romantic team, Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Taylor, heading a remarkably fine cast. Van Dyke, of course, is a veteran not only of the camera but of the jungle adventure, and "His Brother's Wife" is a drama of the tropic wilderness. Van Dyke has resorted to his indelible memory of the steaming interior to produce an effect of realism that is truly astounding. Robert Taylor, now the screen's most popular young star of the marvellous ranks, has a daring role that he portrays with the daring it demands. He appears as a scientific explorer who falls in love with a beautiful redheaded girl on his last flight in civilisation. His brother urges the boy to forget the girl and carry on with his expedition. He agrees and in her rebellion the girl marries the brother. Returning from the jungle the fever-hunted explorer finds himself in love with his brother's wife. It would not be justice to reveal the climax but you may be assured that Taylor takes the girl back into the jungle with him. And there, in a desperate struggle against the mysterious forces of nature, he saves her life and wins her love. Barbara Stanwyck gives a delightful performance. Jean Herschell, as the veteran adventurer, is excellent, and another outstanding portrayal of villain is offered by the suave Joseph Calleia.

"Mary of Scotland"

A historic tale which is vivid romance, suspense and exciting action matches any fiction is that of "Mary of Scotland" which R.K.O. Radio brings to the screens of the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres for the last time to-day, starring Katharine Hepburn and Freddie March. Archduchess of the powerful Elizabeth of England, the Scottish beauty was the target of constant intrigue from across her border, and of murderous treachery on the part of her own nobles. And as turbulent as the blood-stained politics of her court was her personal life, upset by the necessity of choosing between marrying the weakling Darnley to strengthen her claim to England's crown or yielding to the ardent courtship of the Earl of Bothwell. Drawn from Maxwell Anderson's stage hit, the picture traces the days when Mary wavered between the royal duties and feminine desire and the tumultuous romantic drama that came when she proved more a woman than a monarch. Supporting Miss Hepburn as Mary Stuart and March as the handsome head-headed Bothwell, are Florence Eldridge as Elizabeth, Douglas Walton as Darnley and John Carradine as Rizzio, at the head of a cast of forty well-known players. Directed by John Ford.

"Klondike Annie"

From the perfumed, silk-cushioned boudoirs of a Barbary Coast gambling-dive to the frozen reaches of the Arctic Circle may seem like a jump, but that grand old Mae West does it easily, and as gracefully as ever, in "Klondike Annie," her new film, which is showing to-day at the Majestic Theatre. And whether she's draped in a clinging negligee or bundled up in a warm fur parka, the audience likes her equally well. In West plays the role of a San Francisco gambling-house hostess who escapes from the police to Alaska on a battered old boat belonging to Captain Bull Brackett (Victor McLaglen). Bull falls for her in a great big way, and urges her to marry him, but she stays on in the Klondike, adopting to throw the police off her track, the name and reputation of "Sister Annie," an evangelist who has died on the way North. Mae's revival meetings are the talk of all Alaska—torch songs, chorus numbers and everything that does to make a swell song-and-dance production, and suddenly, "Sister Annie" realises that the man with whom she's in love, Jack Forrest (Phillip Reed), a Federal agent who has been assigned to locate the missing gambling-house gal, is deeply in love with her! "Sister Annie" wants to marry Jack, but just as she's about to accept his proposal, she realises that it would be unfair and she takes Bull's offer. They're so much better suited to each other—both of them want a mate who'll be a good sparring partner, and in this combination they'll both have what they need. "Klondike Annie" is splendid entertainment—every member of the cast is perfect in his role, and Mae West has been given the opportunity to display an additional, and entirely new brand of humour, which will keep the loyalty of all her old fans, and add many new ones.

Christmas
Advertising

Advertisers requiring additional space in the "South China Morning Post" and "The Hongkong Telegraph" during the months of November and December, are requested to make their reservations as early as possible. In the interests of advertisers, we hope to distribute advertising evenly throughout these months, and in order to assist us, co-operation is invited.

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Straits	Cremer	November 17.
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Direct Service—London date, 7th November.		
Straits	R.M.A. Dorado	November 17.
Shanghai	Toyama Maru	November 17.
Shanghai	Kiangchow	November 18.
Australia and Manila	Petroclous	November 18.
Haliphong	Atsuta Maru	November 19.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai	Canton	November 19.
(Vancouver B.C., 1st November)		
Japan	Emp. of Russia	November 19.
Amoy	Santa Maru	November 19.
Japan and Shanghai	Shiyala	November 19.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 29th October)	Yasukuni Maru	November 19.
Manila	Chichibu Maru	November 20.
Shanghai	General Pershing	November 20.
Straits	General Pershing	November 20.
Manila	Nagato Maru	November 20.
Straits and Europe via Negapatam	Mrs. Lincoln	November 20.
Letters and Papers London 22nd October.		
	Fushimi Maru	November 21.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Samsat and Wuchow	Tuesday.	
Swatow and Amoy	Tai Hing	Tues., Nov. 17, 4 p.m.
Formosa	Cremer	Tues., Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
	Hosang	Tues., Nov. 17, 5.00 p.m.
		Wednesday.
Foochow via Swatow	Nanning	Wed., Nov. 18, 8.30 a.m.
Bangkok	Halldor	Wed., Nov. 18, 11.30 a.m.
Straits and Europe via Marseilles—due London 23rd December.	Petroclous	Wed., Nov. 18, 1.45 p.m.
(Due Marseilles, 17th December).	Reg.	Nov. 18, 1.45 p.m.
	Letters	Nov. 18, 2.30 p.m.
*Straits and Calcutta	Sulung	Wed., Nov. 18, 1.00 p.m.
Parcelas	Reg.	Nov. 18, 1.00 p.m.
Swatow	Seistan	Wed., Nov. 18, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Tsinan	Wed., Nov. 18, 3.50 p.m.
Small for Swatow, Amoy, Foochow and N. China (via Shanghai)	C.N.A.C. plane	Wed., Nov. 18, 3.50 p.m.
	Shengwan P. O.	Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	Nov. 17, 7 p.m.
	G. P. O.	Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
	Letters	Nov. 18, 5 a.m.
		Thursday.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and South Africa	Santos Maru	Thurs., Nov. 19, 2.30 p.m.
Manila	Emp. of Russia	Thurs., Nov. 19, 5 p.m.
Japan	Atsuta Maru	Thurs., Nov. 19, 5 p.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Foochow	Thurs., Nov. 19, 5 p.m.
		Friday.
Letters for Imperial Airways Direct Service—due London, 30th Nov.	R.M.A. Dorado	Fri., Nov. 20, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	Nov. 19, 5 p.m.
	Letters	Nov. 20, 5.30 a.m.
Letters for "Australia by Imperial Airways Service"—due Darwin 21st November.	R.M.A. Dorado	Fri., Nov. 20, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	Nov. 19, 5 p.m.
	Letters	Nov. 20, 5.30 a.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Fri., Nov. 20, 9.30 a.m.
Letters for "K.L.M. Service" (Due Amsterdam, 30th November)	Yasukuni Maru	Fri., Nov. 20, 12.30 p.m.
	Reg.	Nov. 20, 12.30 p.m.
	Letters	Nov. 20, 1 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles. (Due Marseilles, 16th December).	Yasukuni Maru	Fri., Nov. 20, 12.30 p.m.
Holhow, Pakhol and Haliphong	Kiangchow	Fri., Nov. 20, 2 p.m.
Manila and Europe via Marseilles and Parcelas only for Germany via Hamburg.	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Fri., Nov. 20, 3.45 p.m.
(Due Marseilles, 13th December).	Reg.	Nov. 20, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai	General Pershing	Fri., Nov. 20, 5 p.m.
		*Superscribed correspondence only

LONDON STOCK
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YESTERDAY'S CABLED
QUOTATIONS

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London on November 16. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

	LIST Price	10-day's Price
War Loan 3½% redm. after 1952	£100½	£100½
Chinese 4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£101¼	£101¼
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds 1925-47	£ 98	£ 98
Chinese 4½% Loan 1900	£ 99¾	£ 99¾
Chinese 5% Loan 1912	£ 79¾	£ 79¾
Chinese 5% Recog. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 92½	£ 92½
Chinese Imperial Rly. 5%	£ 93½	£ 93½
Honan Rly. 5% 1905	£ 72	£ 72
H. K. Peking Rly. 1911 5%	£ 51½	£ 51½
Lung Tsing U. Hai Rly. 1913 5%	£ 28	£ 28
Shan. - Nanking Rly. 5%	£ 76	£ 76¾
Peking-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd.)	£ 50½	£ 50½
Peking-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd.)	£ 49½	£ 49½
Peking-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Suppl. Loan)	£ 50	£ 50½
Peking-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Suppl. Loan)	£ 49½	£ 49½
Japan 6% (Sterl.) Ingk Loan 1907	£ 81¾	£ 82
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 92½	£ 92½

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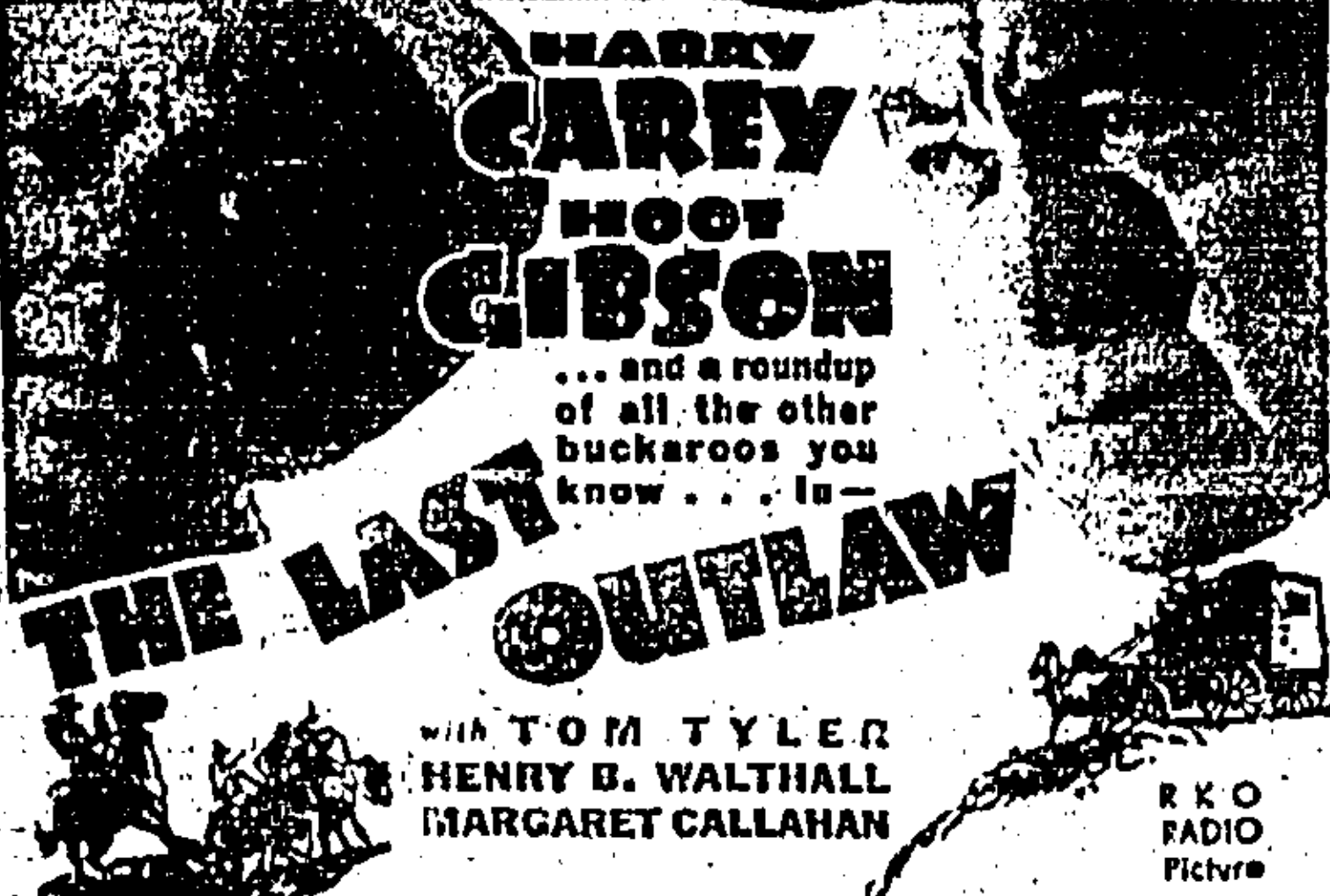
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SERIOUS MOTOR OFFENCE

EUROPEAN ADMITS CHARGE

Ernest Peter Humphreys, aged 21 years, accountant, was summoned before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, for having on November 14 driven a private car whilst under the influence of drink to such an extent as to be incapable of having proper control, at Gap Road, and for driving without due care and caution.

Defendant admitted both summonses, and was remanded for one week on bail of \$500, on an application made by Inspector S. C. Saunders for a week's adjournment. No facts were given.

Lt. R. C. M. Kelly, of the Royal Welch Fusiliers, summoned before Mr. W. Schofield for having driven private car No. 2873 in a dangerous manner in Connaught Road Central on November 1, pleaded not guilty to the summons, and hearing of the case was fixed for 2.30 p.m. on November 24.

The summons was taken out by Lt.-Commander Graves, Royal Navy, who said that at about 3.10 p.m. on November 1 he was driving along Connaught Road from the vehicular ferry towards Murray Road. He saw in his mirror a car about fifty yards behind, and hearing Murray Road he saw the car behind pull out to the right and go behind the car park in the centre of the road. He next saw this same car crossing the road in front of him at an angle of about forty-five degrees, having come out from the car park. Had he not applied his brakes quickly, the bonnet of his car would have hit the rear side door of the other car. The other car came out so far across the road, and there was definitely no room for his car between it and the edge of the water. At the time, there were two passengers in his car.

Lt. Kelly said he had one witness, who was a passenger, but he was in camp.

HOTEL STABBING INCIDENT

ENRAGED HUSBAND CHARGED

Alleged to have been caught making love to the wife of a guest residing at the Asia Hotel by her husband, Ho Ting, a room-boy, was taken to the Government Civil Hospital with two stab wounds in the left side of his stomach, inflicted by a pen-knife.

The incident occurred at about 3.25 a.m. to-day, when Chau Tak-choi, aged 32, unemployed, returned to his room on the fourth floor of the hotel. There he is said to have found Ho Ting with his wife, and, in his rage, to have stabbed the room-boy.

Chau was arrested and charged before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy later in the morning with cutting and wounding Ho Ting, thereby causing him grievous bodily harm.

Detective-Sergeant T. Pilkington appeared for the prosecution, and requested a remand of 48 hours, which was granted. No bail was allowed.

TOBACCO AND OPIUM

POSSESSION CASES IN COURT

An 18-year-old newspaper hawker, Tam Kam-fu, appeared before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with possession of a quantity of dutiable tobacco at the Tung On Wharf, Connaught Road Central. Defendant said he was given the tobacco to carry by a man.

A fine of \$350, or six months' hard labour, was imposed. Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmit prosecuted. Yu Yui, aged 42, widow, pleading guilty to the possession of raw opium at the Wing Lok Wharf, was fined \$100, or two months' hard labour. The opium was said to have been concealed in a rattan basket, which was confiscated.

Cheung Chuan-jin, aged 19, unemployed, was charged with possession of prepared opium at No. 263 Des Voeux Road Central and keeping an opium den at the same address. He admitted the charges, and was fined \$95, or two months' hard labour, for possession, and \$100, or two months' hard labour, for keeping the den. The sentences are to be served consecutively.

SANITARY COOLIE DISCHARGED

PROVOCATION IN ASSAULT CASE

Fung Yung, 24, sanitary coolie employed at the Hung Hom Market, was discharged by Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of assaulting Tseung Ki, aged 10, school boy, of No. 3, Wai-ni Street, and inflicting injuries to his left side with a pair of scissors.

It was stated that defendant was sitting in the market last Sunday-morning-trimming his toe-nails when complainant approached him and said certain things to him. Defendant lost his temper and threw the knife at the little boy, hitting him with the sharp point in his left buttock. A negative reply was made to His Worship's question, "Did defendant actually stab the little boy?"

His Worship: I think defendant was acting under a certain amount of provocation and I am going to discharge him.

A rebuke was administered to the boy's father who allowed his son to enter the market. Defendant was proved to be a very diligent worker and had a clear record.

BANNING POLITICAL UNIFORMS

(Continued from Page 1.)

growth of groups, sometimes in uniform, sometimes carrying weapons, who, by overbearing and insulting behaviour and by organised rowdiness, were threatening to undermine British freedom.

The Government asked the House to deal with the situation now, before it developed into something more serious and difficult, by laying down, in statutory form, rules which ought to apply, and then leaving breaches of the law to be dealt with by the courts.

Explaining the main provisions of the Bill, Sir John Simon said the uniforms clause provides, subject to certain limitations, that it shall be an offence to wear political uniforms in public. It was the unanimous view of the Chiefs of Police in the areas principally affected that the wearing of political uniforms was a source of special provocation. It was the view too, adopted in a good many countries, Sweden, Norway, Finland, Denmark, Switzerland and Holland, where the law had been changed for the same purpose. No statutory definition of uniform was offered in the Bill. Prosecution under this clause could only take place with the authority of the Attorney-General. This ensured that the law would be reasonably and uniformly applied and private prosecutions ruled out.

With regard to the clause in the Bill dealing with processions, he noted that there was no general prohibition of them, but power was taken to control the route of processions.—British Wireless.

REBELS' RAIN OF DEATH ON MADRID

(Continued from Page 1.)

Barcelona to direct activity on this front.—Reuter.

Bombs And Shells

Madrid, Nov. 16. The 11thists to-day rained bombs and shells on Madrid in a supreme effort to shatter the defences of the capital.

Seven Nationalist tri-motored planes, escorted by pursuit planes, this afternoon attacked the University City. Six Government pursuit planes ascended and engaged the attackers, who were repulsed. One of the insurgent planes was brought down and the pilot parachuted within the Government lines. He is believed to have been killed.

Subsequently, the Leftists aerially bombarded the insurgents at the Casa de Campo and also a detachment of 200 men entrenched in one of the buildings in the University city.

Earlier, the Rightist quarters were raided for an hour, but the casualty list has not been disclosed.—United Press.

SERIOUS MATTER

PIG'S BLOOD THROWN AT MOHAMMEDAN

"It is a serious matter, throwing pig's blood and excreta on a Mohammedan," said Inspector Hourihan when prosecuting two butchers, Lo Lan, aged 18, and Li Po-leung, aged 20, before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of having thrown offensive matter into a public roadway, Davis Street, yesterday.

Inspector Hourihan said the pig's blood had been thrown on an Indian constable, P. C. B. 655, who was taking the chop of a watchman. It was thrown in spirit of mischief.

Mr. Schofield told defendants that if it had been in India the Mohammedans would have gone after them and killed them, but, of course, this was not India.

Defendants pleaded not guilty and were remanded for hearing until Saturday morning, bail in \$25 each being allowed.

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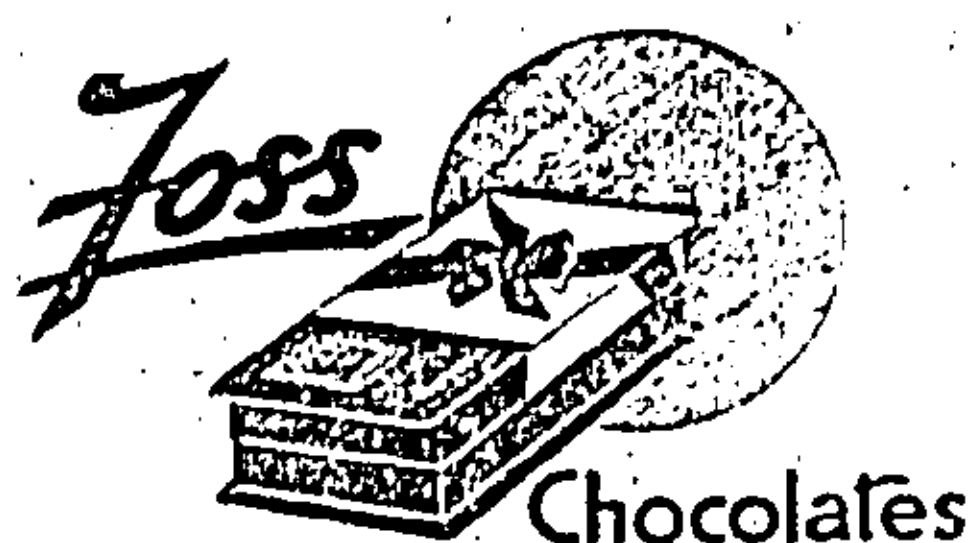
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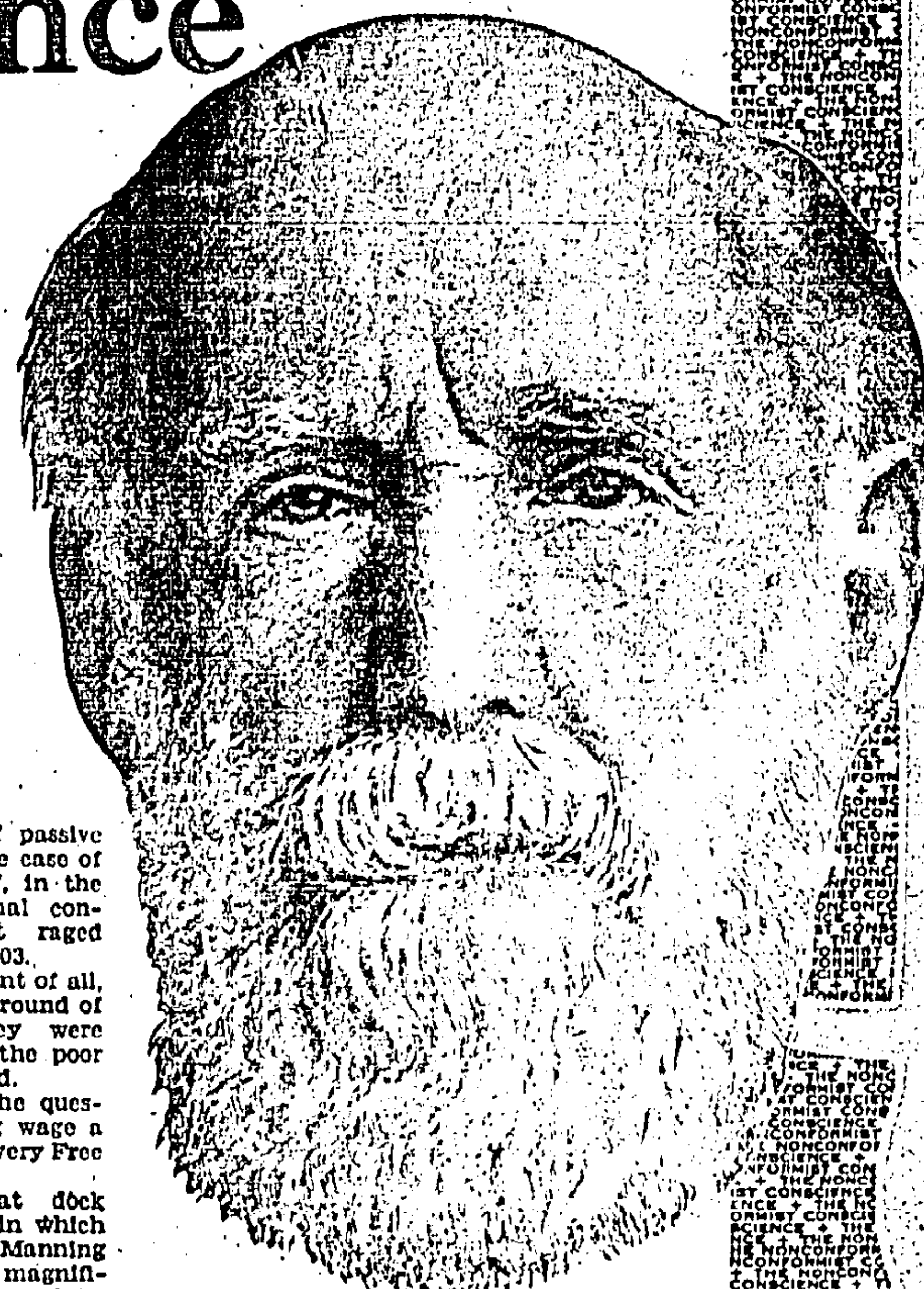
THE DYSENTERY OUTBREAK

That the community generally
 and mothers in particular,
 should have become gravely
 concerned over the outbreak of
 infantile dysentery, which has
 taken such a heavy toll of
 children of European parentage,
 occasions no surprise. Never
 within our recollection has the
 Colony been subjected to such
 a heavy incidence of mortality
 amongst such children from an
 outbreak of this character. The
 epidemic broke out with
 startling suddenness, and, at
 first, before its seriousness be-
 came apparent, there was a
 tendency in health circles to
 regard it as nothing worse than
 a seasonal outbreak. It has
 since been shown, however, to
 be much more than that. The
 fact that dysentery is not a
 notifiable disease has doubtless
 been a factor in increasing the
 difficulty of tracing its precise
 origin. It is most probable that
 the outbreak was due to a com-
 mon cause which, for one reason
 or another, had largely dis-
 appeared by the time the serious-
 ness of the outbreak became
 evident. The disease often has
 its origin in contaminated water,
 but, as Dr. Pope has pointed
 out, this can hardly have been
 the case in the present epidemic
 which has touched areas widely
 separated and not drawing their
 water supply from the same
 source. Similarly, fruit and
 vegetables seem to be ruled out,
 as so many of the fatal cases have
 been among children who, by
 reason of their tender years, do
 not normally have these comesti-
 bles in their diet. Milk could
 easily be the cause of the out-
 break, of course, but we under-
 stand that the authorities have
 not yet definitely established the
 source of the trouble. It may
 be that they never will be able
 to do so with absolute certainty. In
 some countries the pasteurization
 of milk and cream is made com-
 pulsory by law, and, on the
 principle that prevention is better
 than cure, the authorities here
 might well consider applying
 that requirement to all dairies in
 the Colony. The making of
 dysentery a notifiable disease
 might also be of value in enabling
 the authorities to get quickly on
 to possible sources of infection
 when outbreaks occur. The
 public is certainly not satisfied
 with conditions as they are. It
 is therefore the duty of the
 authorities to give close study to
 the origin of the present scourge
 and to take such measures as
 will, as far as humanly possible,
 prevent a recurrence of the tra-
 gic happenings of the past week.

WHAT IS TO-DAY'S Nonconformist Conscience

"Is the Nonconformist conscience,
 that fine flower of the Victorian
 era, as sensitive as of old?"
 —Bishop Barnes, of Birmingham,
 addressing the Congregational Union

?
 answered by
 The Rev. Dr.
 Donald O. Soper



John Clifford (born 1836, died 1923) "created
 in Nonconformity a powerful weapon with
 which to combat social evils."

I WONDER how many young
 social enthusiasts there
 are to-day to whom the
 phrase "Nonconformist
 conscience," or the name of
 John Clifford, means anything.

Yet the centenary celebra-
 tions of the birth of this great
 Victorian preacher, reformer,
 educationist and politician,
 which are being held in London
 this week should be of profound
 significance not only to Free
 Churchmen to-day, but to all
 who have the cause of social
 righteousness at heart.

To know John Clifford and his
 work is to enter a realm of Non-
 conformist outlook and activity,
 in relation to human problems,
 that constitutes a tremendous
 challenge to those who have come
 after him.

In this realm were men like Rev.
 Hugh Price Hughes, Dr. Parker
 and many others, as well as Dr.
 Clifford himself, who by their
 courage and enterprise created in
 Nonconformity a powerful weapon
 with which to combat the social
 evils that they saw around them.

They thundered against the
 drink evil, and the increased ge-
 nericity in great cities to-day is in
 no small measure due to their
 efforts.

In collaboration with that great
 humanist, W. T. Stead, they un-
 masked licentiousness and vice in
 the West End of London.

They championed their hardy-
 won Nonconformist liberties, even

To-day's Thought
 EVERYONE is ignorant, only
 about different subjects.
 —WILL ROGERS.

to the point of passive
 resistance in the case of
 Clifford himself, in the
 great educational con-
 troversies that raged
 from 1891 to 1903.

Most significant of all,
 against a background of
 Liberalism, they were
 the friends of the poor
 and dispossessed.

They made the ques-
 tion of a living wage a
 vital issue for every Free
 Churchman.

In the great dock
 strike of 1890, in which
 Cardinal Manning played
 such a magnificent
 part, their pulpits
 rang with the claim for
 the dockers' "tanner,"
 while through them the
 Christian duty to allevi-
 ate the poverty and
 destitution of industrial
 England became the first charge
 upon every enlightened Free
 Churchman.

"Hold prayer meetings by all
 means, but do not forget to build
 artisans' dwellings as well." Such
 a phrase as this from the lips of
 Clifford himself was the text of
 Nonconformist preaching. Read
 about Dr. Clifford and his
 colleagues, you Nonconformists of
 to-day, and you may well be
 tempted to reflect that the social
 conscience which they educated
 and made vocal has become flaccid
 and inoperative now.

They prophesied, we confer.
 They were pioneers, we are all too
 often camp followers.

In this year of grace do you
 think it matters very much what
 the Free Churches think? One
 thing is certain. Whether you
 believe Nonconformity is still a
 great social force or whether you

deplore its ineffectiveness, the
 need for the spirit of these men
 and their uncompromising leader-
 ship is greater than ever.

If John Clifford and Hugh Price
 Hughes were beginning their
 ministry to-day they would still
 recognise the enemies against
 whom they fought so valiantly in
 the 19th century.

But the Liberalism in which they
 were nurtured and which they so
 stoutly defended must to-day be
 interpreted in the light of Fascism
 and Communism.

The march of events since John
 Clifford's greatest achievements in
 the latter years of the nineteenth
 century has revealed the problems
 that he so valiantly faced in their
 true context, and shown them to
 be the symptoms of far deeper
 issues.

The Nonconformist conscience
 to-day must pronounce upon the
 very social order in which non-

ally Christian communities are
 living.

What appeared to the Free
 Church leaders of the nineteenth
 century to be matters for reforma-
 tion confront us as demands for
 revolution. We can no longer be-
 lieve that the Kingdom of God will
 be ours if and when the capitalist
 machine is administered by Chris-
 tian capitalists proceeding upon
 the principles of the Sermon on the
 Mount.

No country, not even Britain,
 can continue to seek world
 brotherhood in the name of a
 Heavenly Father while it retains
 the ethics of Imperialism. Above
 all, the lesson must be quickly
 learned, or else it will be too late,
 that there is no righteous way of
 firing a machine-gun or of drop-
 ping a bomb. There is no just
 war, and the "soldier-saint" is a
 contradiction in terms.

I believe there are multitudes of
 good Church-going folk who
 realise the crisis which organised
 Christianity is facing and are
 ready to move forward to new and
 dangerous positions in the cam-
 paign for peace and brother-
 hood.

With all their failures I cannot
 agree with those that tell us
 the Churches have forfeited their
 right to a place in the van of
 human progress.

Speaking as a Nonconformist,
 and I have no right to speak with
 any authority except as a Noncon-
 formist, I feel sure that there are
 as many to-day as ever there were
 who would be prepared to venture
 everything in a cause which they
 believe to be God's cause. They are
 known as "Free Churchmen" and
 desire to make that freedom real
 and effectual.

We are confident because we be-
 lieve in God that peace and plenty
 could be enjoyed by all if His will
 was being done. In that confi-
 dence I want to see the Noncon-
 formist conscience insisting that
 all God's creatures are entitled to
 the necessities of life whatever
 may be their merit or economic
 value.

Therefore we cannot rest until
 industry and commerce are co-
 operatively organized to that end.
 I want the Free Churches to repu-
 diate war in every form, Im-
 perialist, civil or League of
 Nations, as a human practice
 which is iniquitous in itself.

Finally, I look forward to an
 awakening on the part of all
 Christians to the larger vision of a
 world no longer split up into
 nation States and imperial groups,
 but forsaking these divisive power
 policies, that in their place may
 arise the co-operative common-
 wealth.

AMATEUR ACTING

Words in Season to
 the Beginner
 By GERARD FAY

Theatre" as we call it to-day in
 Great Britain and America.

Experts estimate that there are
 between fifteen and twenty thou-
 sand amateur acting bodies in Bri-
 tain to-day, and there must be up-
 wards of two million people directly
 interested in them. The amateur
 stage is, then, a most important
 factor in the culture and amusement
 of this country, and it is worthy of
 being taken very seriously.

The problem of finding a suitable
 stage to act on, and good teachers to
 work with is a very difficult one for
 most amateurs, and many of them
 in small towns can only join the
 single amateur society there and
 make the best of whatever conditions
 are to be found, or choose some
 other outlet for their artistic desires.
 The ultimate aim of a conscientious
 amateur should be to join a well
 conducted Little Theatre with com-
 petent producers and good equip-
 ment, but if this is impossible it does
 not mean that he or she must be
 content with mediocrity, for if there
 is a stage to act on, and parts to
 play, there are all the materials
 needed for training in acting.

Do not make the mistake of think-
 ing you can learn anything of stage
 technique from the cinema—it is an
 entirely different art, and even ex-
 perience stage players have to re-
 learn their whole business when they
 go on the films. There is, however,
 much to be learnt of diction and
 vocal expression from good film
 actors, and useful hints on deport-
 ment may be obtained from seeing
 good costume films.

Breathing Drill

For the purposes of this series I
 have divided the elements of acting
 technique into five main headings:—
 Talking, Walking, facial expression,
 gesture, and make-up.

I shall deal with these matters in
 the order given above, and add more
 comments on different types of act-
 (Continued on Page 4.)

An Important Factor

The whole of the great Norwegian
 tradition of acting is built on the
 work of amateurs; the Moscow Arts
 Theatre was started by amateurs,
 and it was a band of amateurs who
 evolved the acting and production
 techniques of the Abbey Theatre,
 Dublin—the forerunner of the "Little

This Vision Of The Future May Happen To-Morrow Half The R.A.F. Bombed Out Of Existence In Ten Minutes

HOW 18 'PLANES CAN DESTROY BRITAIN AN AIR EXPERT'S WARNING

IN LESS THAN TEN MINUTES NEARLY HALF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE OF BRITAIN WAS BOMBED OUT OF EXISTENCE—(AN EXTRACT FROM FICTION WHICH CAN EASILY BECOME FACT).

It happened at four o'clock on a brilliant Saturday afternoon in June. The occasion was Hendon Air Display, when the aerial might of Britain was shown to an admiring populace.

Only 18 enemy 'planes delivered the attack.

The whole south of England had been so accustomed to 'plane movements that the strangers got through unnoticed.

Suddenly there was commotion among spectators. The band stopped.

Above the resounding din of many engines was heard the staccato note of machine-guns.

PANIC

The multitude swayed and struggled to get away.

In the middle of the field eight British machines were burning on the ground. The rest scattered, intent on gaining the nearest aerodrome, turning and returning.

Bombs fell, explosives up to 500lb. gas bombs, and a great quantity of 6lb. incendiaries.

The affair lasted no longer than ten minutes.

The hostile 'planes, in three flights, each in line abreast, thrice crossed the death field with throttled engines, then disappeared, still flying low.

Three-fifths of the huge crowd never lived to tell how it all happened.

A rush for the car park turned that into a death trap, too.

The lines of 'planes waiting their turn for the show were a roaring furnace.

The Air Ministry, from members of the Air Council to lower subordinates, practically ceased to exist.

Two-fifths of the Home defence air personnel were killed, their equipment smashed.

One hour later, terrible panic broke out in the Underground system, when the packed trains stopped and ventilators failed, through the methodical bombing destruction of the source of power.

This is all speculation by Air Commodore, L. E. O. Churlton, in his book, "War Over England" (Longmans, Green, and Co.), published this month.

From reviewing the dreadful facts about the last war, the book plunges into the next war.

Poland, Germany and Italy were brothers in arms. France and England continued their "unnatural bed-fellowship."

It was Germany that struck the blow at Hendon and on the power stations.

At midnight, 130 bombers delivered an attack on London docks.

Hull, Newcastle, Liverpool and Bristol were each tackled by 30 bombers.

Dock gates were blown out, ships were wrecked, and whole areas of warehouses were burned out.

Meantime our Air Force, and that of France, raided German aerodromes, destroying many. But success was nullified because of the large number of alternative aerodromes.

DECOY AIRCRAFT

France submitted, and Britain followed, after a terrible gas attack on London, effective because our defence force had been distracted by decoy aircraft.

The peace terms were moderate, involving the handing over of small parts of the British and French Empires.

This astonishing book winds up with a third phase in which, after 25 years of peace, Britain rises again, wins a quick war, then watches the rest of the world at grips.

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Rajah's Children To Stay In India

INDIAN SECRETARY LOSES ON APPEAL

Madras, Nov. 10.

THE Rajah of Vizianagram has won his appeal against an order by the Secretary of State for India (Marquess of Zetland). The rajah's four children will be educated in India.

Last May the rajah appealed personally in the High Court of Madras against the order that four of his children should be educated in Britain.

He complained that the English climate was severe for Indian-born children—although his son, the Maharaj Kumar, was leading the Indian Test team at the time; he did not approve of the dormitory system; and he considered Indian education was better than anything given in England.

The rajah also petitioned for the transfer of the case from the judge at Vizagapatnam.

The transfer was refused, but a temporary injunction was issued restraining the Court of Wards from sending the young princes out of the country.

This temporary injunction has now been rendered permanent. The Court of Wards now can only apply to the High Court for directions to control the children's movements within the limits of British India.

The Rane of Vizianagram has been appointed guardian of the children.—*Reuter*.

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Speed Record Cracked

L.M.S. TRAIN SETS NEW MARK

London, Nov. 16.

A world speed record for a 400 miles run was broken to-day when a London, Midland and Scottish train did the 401.5 miles between London and Glasgow in five hours 22 minutes.

There was intense excitement among the passengers and train crew and the many spectators who lined the route. The latter waved and cheered at every station.

The train touched over 95 miles per hour and frequently exceeded 100 miles per hour. It never travelled below 50 miles per hour. It ascended the steep Penrith gradient at 63 miles per hour.

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DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

IT IS BETTER TO SUFFER WRONG THAN TO DO IT, AND HAPPIER TO BE SOME-THINGS CHEATED THAN NOT TO TRUST.—*Johnson*.

The French cruiser Lamotte Picquet left dry dock this morning and will be sailing to-morrow. It is expected that she will return to Saigon.

The forthcoming wedding is announced between Mr. Frederick Charles Hayward, chartered accountant at the Flying Office, R.A.F., Kal Tak, and Miss Norah Himsforth, Assistant Mistress, Education Department, residing at 30, Mody Road.

Pun Wai, aged 25, a workman employed in the Taikei Dockyard, was taken to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday, suffering from injuries which he received when he fell from a height of ten feet while at work in the Dockyard. His condition is serious.

Wong Hing, 30, unemployed, and Li Nian, 24, married woman, both of 335 Eccleston Street, were discharged at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning by Mr. E. Himsforth when it was revealed that pink pills which they were found carrying at the corner of Shanghai and Hamilton Streets on November 9 did not contain heroin. Revenue Officer Brown appeared for the prosecution.

Appearing on remand before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of theft of a pair of ear-rings from Wong Yuet, an amah, at Peel Street on November 13, Kwong Fui, aged 29, unemployed, was sentenced to five months' hard labour and 12 strokes of the cane. Detective-Sergeant T. Caselman produced accused's criminal record and said defendant was still under police supervision.

Sentence of one month's hard labour was inflicted on Lung Wan, aged 50, a mason, when he admitted a charge of theft of five pounds of lead from the site of the Old City Hall, before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning. Acting Inspector W. Mair said defendant was seen leaving the City Hall about noon yesterday with something rather bulky under his belt. A private watchman employed by the contractors stopped defendant. The lead was worth about \$2.

H.M.S. Grimsby leaves harbour to-morrow for Pagoda Anchorage on a routine cruise.

A \$10 fine was imposed upon Cheung Hing, No. 41 Canton Road, Kowloon, by Mr. E. Himsforth this morning for allowing his black dog to roam in Middle Road near Nathan Road without a muzzle at 8.10 p.m. on October 30. A fine of \$15 was imposed.

Edward Le Sage, of H.M.S. Falconer, was summoned before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for allowing his black dog to roam in Middle Road near Nathan Road without a muzzle at 8.10 p.m. on October 30. A fine of \$15 was imposed.

A further week's remand was granted to a case before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning in which Li Sai-nu, wharf coolie, of 15 Halphong Road, is charged with assaulting Ng Sun-tak and inflicting injuries on October 24 which resulted in the latter's death. Inspector A. H. Elston is in charge of the prosecution.

Nine Hoklo coolies were charged before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning, with fighting at the Douglas Wharf about 9 o'clock last night. Detective-Sergeant Bentley said the fight was over some cooking utensils. Bamboo poles were used and some of them were split. Two of the accused were in hospital, though their injuries were not serious. Defendants were remanded for 48 hours in custody.

Wong Chuen, aged 20, unemployed, was charged before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning, with the theft of three dressing gowns, valued at \$12, from the May May fancy goods shop, No. 74 Queen's Road Central. Acting-Inspector W. Mair said an ex-constable who was passing the shop at about 7.15 p.m. yesterday, saw defendant dashing out of the shop with the gowns bundled up under his arm. He stopped defendant and took him back to the shop, where the gowns were identified by the manager. Defendant was bound over in May this year and his bond was still unexpired. For breaking his bond defendant was fined \$50 with the alternative of six weeks' hard labour, and on the larceny charge, he was given a sentence of one month's imprisonment.

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BADMINTON SEASON OPENS IN TYPICAL STYLE

Three Teams Make Clean Sweep: Promising Debuts

RECREIO "A" IN GREAT FORM

ST. ANDREW'S TAKEN BY SURPRISE

KOWLOON TONG "A" MAKE AN IMPRESSIVE START

(By "Veritas")

BRILLIANTLY successful debuts were made in the badminton league last night by King's College and the Chinese Y.M.C.A., both teams winning their encounters by nine clear games. The Y.M.C.A. made an impressive showing against Victoria Recreation Club, although they were not up against the full strength of the swimming club as S. A. Rumjahn was an absentee.

Kowloon Tong "A" also put up a great performance in beating St. Andrew's "B" on the latter's court by seven sets to two. The visitors owed everything to their first and third pairs, who won three games each.

Both Club de Recreio "A" Division teams secured points, the senior visiting Chinese Recreation Club making a clean sweep of things against a team feeling the loss of S. P. Chan and H. T. Woo.

The Portuguese were practically unplayable and they scored points at will. Only F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang offered any serious resistance, and they obtained twelve aces in one game, ten in another and 13 in the third.

At Club de Recreio, the home team did extremely well to overcome St. Andrew's "A", though there was only the one game in it.

SURPRISE WIN

The visitors were taken by surprise when E. F. Fincher and H. Kew lost to L. A. Silva and E. A. R. Alves. It was the best encounter of the evening, and saw the Portuguese couple recover from arrears of 8-14 to lead 19-18. At that stage all four players were affected by the excitement of the occasion and service passed hands three times without any addition to the score. Finally the aggressive tactics of the home pair pulled them through, though Silva was a trifle fortunate to secure net cord points at vital stage of the game.

The visitors were also disappointed in the performances of Guest and Gray which were below par. This couple was completely outplayed in the first game, and although they recovered a little to beat the third string, they could not withstand the determined methods of Silva-Alves combination.

F. Wong and F. A. Broadbridge very nearly snatched a surprise win against A. E. Xavier and H. A. Barros and actually led 10-2 and later 19-17. Then Recreio took seven points in a row for the match.

Detailed scores of the matches follow.

"A" DIVISION

C.R.C. v. RECREIO "A"

At Causeway Bay last night, Club de Recreio "A" beat the Chinese Recreation Club by 9 games to nil: P. C. Leung and C. T. Yung (C.R.C.) lost to J. J. Remedios and M. A. Oliveira 2-21; lost to L. A. Carvalho and A. M. Silva 8-21; lost to E. da Souza and H. A. Alves 4-21. F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang (C.R.C.) lost to Remedios and Oliveira 12-21; lost to Carvalho and Silva 10-21; lost to Souza and Alves 13-21.

S. W. Wong and T. F. Lo (C.R.C.) lost to Remedios and Oliveira 3-21; lost to Carvalho and Silva 4-21; lost to Souza and Alves 8-21.

RECREIO "B" v. ST. ANDREW'S "A"

Playing at Club de Recreio, the home team beat St. Andrew's "A" by five games to four.

A. E. Xavier and H. A. Barros (Recreio "B") beat S. A. Gray and A. E. P. Guest 21-2; lost to E. F. Fincher and H. Kew 14-21; beat F. Wong and F. A. Broadbridge 24-19. H. A. Noronha and C. C. Pereira (Recreio) lost to Gray and Guest 8-21; lost to Fincher and Kew 3-21; lost to Wong and Broadbridge 13-21. L. A. Silva and E. A. R. Alves (Recreio) beat Gray and Guest 21-13; beat Fincher and Kew 21-18; beat Wong and Broadbridge 21-13.

"B" DIVISION

KING'S COLLEGE v. S. & S. HOME

At King's College Sailors and Soldiers Home were beaten by nine games to love.

T. Lam and S. P. Chan (King's College) beat Stephen and Brown 21-2; beat Merritt and Yang Chen 21-0; beat J. Bain and W. Sprague 21-1.

H. T. Woo and H. N. Chung (King's College) beat Stephen and Brown 21-4; beat Merritt and Yang Chen 21-1; beat Bain and Sprague 21-1.

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Players who took part in the annual golf match between the St. Andrew's Society and St. George's Society, snapped at Fanling on Sunday last. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

Clubhouse Chatter

By "Veritas"

Council's Thumbs Down To Chinese Soccer Protest

SOME PECULIAR AND NOVEL ARGUMENTS ADVANCED

THE comprehensive document, through which the Chinese clubs voiced their protest against the decision of the referee in abandoning the Lai Wah Cup tie during extra time between the Army and the Chinese, contained several novel features, but perhaps the most surprising was the insistence that as the Lai Wah Cup was a K. O. competition, there should be no question of a replay. Last evening the Hongkong Football Association turned their thumbs down to the argument and decided by a big majority that the tie should be replayed in its entirety, thus upholding the recommendation of the Referees' Committee which had first considered the protest.

Only Rightful Decision

THIS theory that a knock-out competition should not permit of a replay is curious, and, so far as I know, unsupported by precedent or example. It is defeated by the very fact that extra time, which is in effect a replay, is ordered under the rules governing this particular competition. The argument that the game should only be replayed for several hours because a team is leading by a goal six minutes from the finish of extra time, does not mean that they are certain winners, and unless the referee is entitled to use his discretion, the game could go on interminably. Furthermore it is well to bear in mind that in providing for the playing of extra time, the H.K.F.A. has behaved in no novel or unprecedented manner. Extra time in cup ties has been a regulation governing English football for years, but never have I known it to be a practice for a game, abandoned during extra time, to be finished off from that point. A full replay is always ordered. The H.K.F.A.'s decision was the only obvious and rightful one. Quite clearly they could not award the match to the Chinese on the assumption that because they held a goal lead they would have won the match; equally certain is it that they could not order a replay from the time of the abandonment. They had one line of action only, and this has been taken.

Our Daily Golf Hint

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—Harold Begbie.

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Another Laboured Point

I cannot also help feeling that undue stress was laid on the wickedness of the referee observing at the end of the match that there would be a replay. The objects apparently tried to convince the Association that whatever a referee says at the close of a game is law; yet surely once the match is over the referee becomes nothing more than an ordinary human being, with his own ideas on the match carrying no more weight than those of a spectator? He has to submit a report, that is true, but it is a report dealing with facts and does not call for any comment as to what action should be taken. Any such comment would be ignored by an adjudicating body. Mr. Stokes's promise of a "word to the wise" may be a nice gesture on his part to appease a group of susceptible objectors, but I really see no necessity for it.

Senior Shield Draw

It cannot be said that South China "A" have been very nicely treated by the Senior Shield draw made yesterday. They have to start off by meeting the Navy, and if this feat is survived they will probably run up against the Royal Ulster

Rifles. It is a very "hot" draw, and survival of it will make the league champions warm favourites. South China "B", the holders, look fairly safe for the second round, but then they will meet either Kowloon Chinese or the Club—either team being fully capable of upsetting the holders. On the whole St. Joseph's seem to have got the best break. They play Eastern in the first round, and, if they win, Recreio in the second. Fusiliers too have nothing to grumble about. A bye in the initial stage of the competition brings them against either Police or East Lancashires. On league form, at least, they should beat either of these teams. I rather favour the Rifles, St. Joseph's, South China "A", Club, East Lancashires, and South China "B" to survive the first round, and possibly South China "A" or Rifles, Club, St. Joseph's and Fusiliers to figure in the semi-finals.

Badminton Starts

If last night's results in the badminton league mean anything, it would seem that Club de Recreio "A" team is going to prove practically untouchable again this winter, and that the "B" Division is going to enjoy some lively competition. Any team which can visit Chinese Recreation Club and win nine-nil is in a class of its own. Recreio did this yesterday, but I doubt very much whether such a feat will be repeated by another team this season. While it is only meet to point out that the Chinese were minus S. P. Chan and H. T. Woo, a glance at the individual scores will quickly prove how brilliantly the Portuguese played: for visitors to the Causeway Bay Court start off with a handicap of some three or four points owing to the very difficult playing conditions. When Chinese Y.M.C.A. beat Sailors and Soldiers Home in a friendly game the other evening, the full significance of the trouncing was not appreciated; but last night the newcomers to the league piled things on by wiping up the V.R.C., while up at King's College, the collegians did likewise to S. and S. Home. It does not demand great perspicacity to pronounce these two teams as important contenders for the championship. But this new competition is all for the good of the game, and the "B" Division standard of play will benefit accordingly.

LADIES' DOUBLES

Second Round Encounter

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Dowling, who are expected to win the Ladies' Doubles Championship of the Colony, surmounted their first obstacle yesterday when, playing on the U.S.R.C. courts, they beat Miss B. Abraham and Mrs. Curtis in the first round by 6-1, 6-1.

London, Nov. 16.
The following is the latest call-over for the Manchester November Handicap.
Penny Royal, 10 to 1, 100 to 9 t.
Prudent Act 100 to 8, 100 to 7 t.
Flam, 100 to 6, 20 to 1 t.
Sea Bequest, 25 to 1, 1 t & o.
—Reuter.

PROFESSIONALISM IN RUGGER

Alarm Over Lack Of Clear Stand By Players

London, Oct. 19.

There is a growing alarm among the Rugby Unions at the growth of velle professionalism in their ranks. Payment for "broken time" such as led to the "Great Split" of 1895 does not exist, but cash consideration for services rendered, made in the form of excessive expenses, certainly does.

It has been the practice of recent years among several of the big clubs to pay for everything that a player may require in the shape of jerseys, boots, stockings, laundry and so on.

The growing migration of players to certain centres is being carefully watched, but it is almost impossible to stop it. A man is a free agent to take up a job in any town. Then, again, it is common knowledge that Rugby Union players, under fictitious names, go for trials with professional clubs, though not as signing a professional form.

frequently. Unless one is on the spot and recognizes the player it is exceedingly difficult to obtain definite proof.

No one these days blames a man for becoming a professional Rugby player, but there should not be any stirring with professionalism. Either one thing or the other, and since the rule is perfectly clear on the point it should be realized that taking part in a professional club's trial constitutes a breach of the rules as much as signing a professional form.

DRAW FOR THE SHIELDS

S. CHINA "B" TO PLAY THROUGH

R.E.'S RECEIVE A BYE

The draw for the senior and junior football shield competitions was made last evening by the League Management Committee and resulted as follows.

Police I.
Police III (European) or Athletic v. South China or Police II (Chinese).

Rifles or East Lancs. v. Kumaon Rifles.
R.E. v. R.A.O.C.
H.K.F.C. v. R.A.S.C.
Liga Portuguesa v. Kowloon F.C.
Kowloon Chinese v. Navy.

SENIOR SHIELD

First Round

Kowloon F.C. v. Royal Ulster Rifles.
Eastern v. St. Joseph's.
Navy v. South China "A".
Kowloon Chinese v. H.K.F.C.
Police v. East Lancs.
Athletic v. South China "B".
Byes—Royal Welch Fusiliers and Club de Recreio.

Second Round

Kowloon or Rifles v. Navy or South China "A".
Kowloon Chinese or H.K.F.C. v. Athletic or South China "B".
Eastern or St. Joseph's v. Recreio Fusiliers v. Police or East Lancs.

FIRST ROUND

Royal Ulster Rifles v. East Lancs.
Police III (European) v. Athletic.
Fusiliers v. Eastern.
R.A. (Lyemum) v. R.A.M.C.
Recreio v. Police I (Chinese).
South China v. Police II (Chinese).
Byes—Kumaon Rifles, R.A.F., R.E., R.A.O.C., H.K.F.C., R.A.S.C., R.W.F. or Eastern v. Recreio or

£100,000 Soccer Stand Opened

GREAT DAY FOR THE ARSENAL

The Arsenal Football Club's new £100,000 stand at Highbury was opened to the public last month.

It is the most luxurious stand on any football ground in the country, the tip-up seats being of padded leather and the rake so steep that a perfect view of the play is provided for everybody.

Spectators reach their seats from six different floors. There are two luncheon and tea rooms—the west stand already has one—and an enormous bar for light refreshments. The players' quarters are the last word in comfort, and referee, linesmen and staff all have rooms with baths. Even the trainers have special seats under glass at the entrance to the playing enclosure.

FLOOD-LIGHTING

A new loud-speaker equipment will assist in packing the ground, and the ground can be flooded, so that the staff can level the turf after a match when frost threatens, and thus ensure play on subsequent days, even if the ground is frozen.

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Liga Portuguesa, Kowloon F.C., Kowloon Chinese and Navy.
Second Round
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R.W.F. or Eastern v. Recreio or

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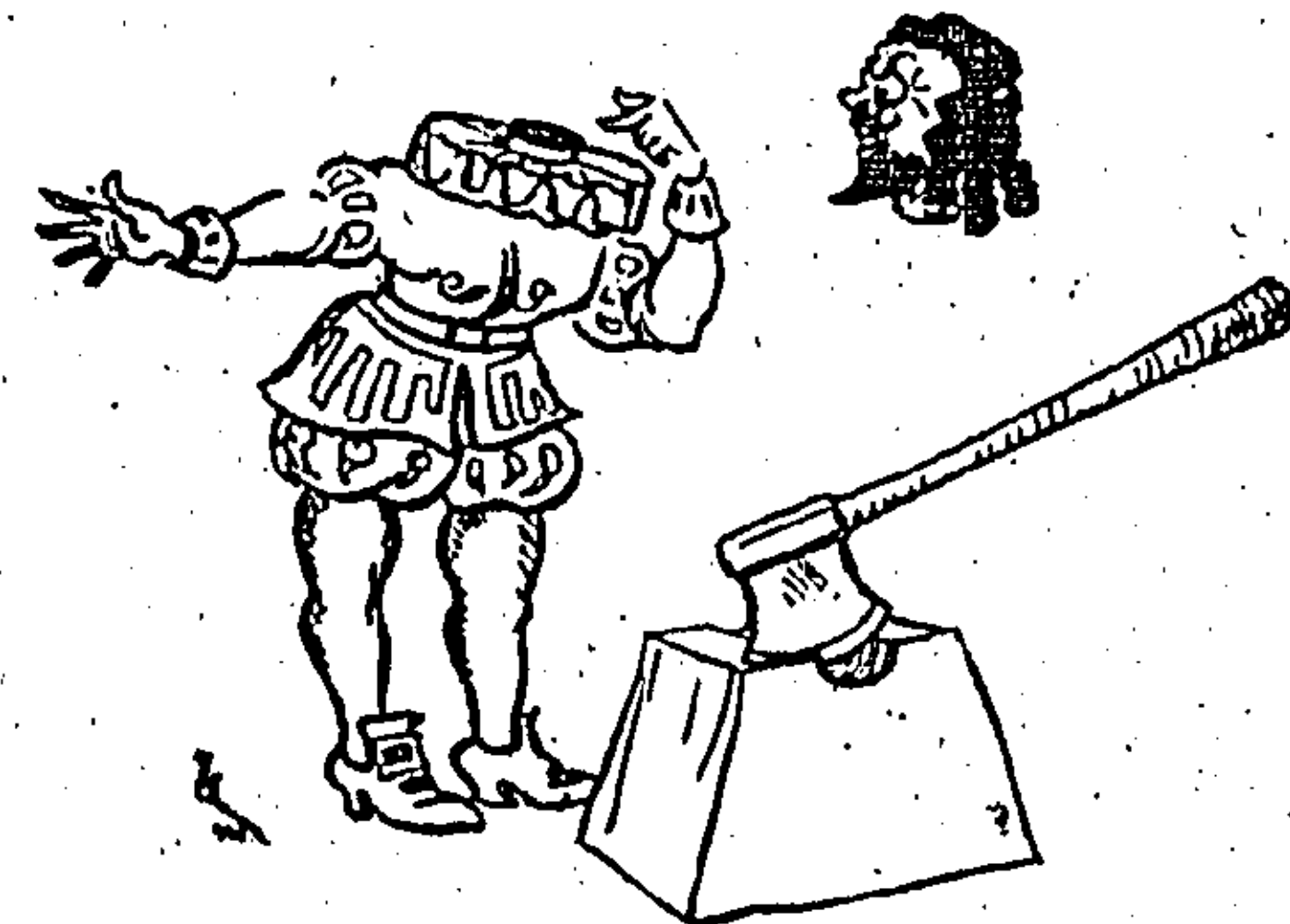
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LAI WAH CUP MATCH IS TO BE REPLAYED

Mr. George She And The Referees' Committee

A SMART DEBATE AT H.K.F.A. MEETING

Important matters were dealt with at yesterday's meeting of the Hongkong F.A. Council, at which Major C. M. Mannors presided, the chief business being to consider a report from the Referees' Committee apropos the protest lodged by the Chinese clubs against the referee's decision in abandoning the Lai Wah Cup tie between Chinese and Army.

The Referees' Committee reported that they fully upheld the action of the official in charge of the game, and after lengthy discussion, the Council approved of the report and by a big majority decided to order a replay.

Mr. George She asked for the minutes of the Referees' Committee as he wished to be satisfied that the committee had given full consideration to the protest.

With the approval of the majority of the members, the minutes were read. The minutes merely stated that the Committee had received a letter from the Chinese team on the matter, and that they had carefully considered it.

As a result, Mr. She complained of the "cursory attitude" adopted by the Committee, but this was strenuously denied by the Chairman.

Mr. She then proposed to ask questions of Mr. Stokes, Chairman of the Committee, on the proceedings, and the request was granted.

Mr. She: Did the Committee ask the referee if he had stated there would probably be a replay?

Mr. Stokes: Yes. His reply was he said the game had been abandoned and there would probably be a replay.

Mr. She: Did you ask what right he had to say that?

Mr. Stokes: No. The Committee themselves thought that was the natural conclusion.

Mr. She: Did you point out to him that under Lai Wah Cup rules a referee, when he abandons a game, should first report the matter to the Council before expressing his own opinion?

Mr. Stokes: He had his report in writing and there was no necessity to ask him this question.

Mr. She: Did the report contain that he realised he had no right to order a replay? I must say, Mr. Chairman, that referees should be told in future not to make statements which could be interpreted in more than one sense.

Mr. Stokes: To whom did he mention that there would be a replay?

Mr. She: He spoke to four persons, including myself, but not to any one in particular.

Chairman: The referee is fully conversant with the rules. I think it is quite a natural remark to make.

Mr. She: I think it is improper. Mr. Chairman: As a member of the Committee, I think referees should be told it is unwise to give any personal opinion.

Mr. She: Yes.

Chairman: No referee, as a rule, refuses to discuss the game. I think the matter could be dealt with by asking Mr. Stokes to request referees to be very careful in future in regard to the statements they make.

Mr. She: Certain aspects of the case arose as the result of the referee's remarks.

Chairman: You think the remarks prejudiced the Committee in arriving at their decision?

Mr. She: My whole point is that it was a Lai Wah Cup match, and being a knock-out competition there should be no question of replay.

Mr. Stokes: I will whisper a word to the referees and tell them what Mr. She has said.

Chairman: I think this will be the best way.

With the exception of Mr. She and Mr. Chan, the Council approved of the decision of the Referees' Sub-Committee in upholding the action of the referee.

PROCEEDS FOR CHARITY.
Towards the end of the meeting, Mr. She proposed that the proceeds from the replay be devoted to charity in the manner as the Council saw fit.

Mr. Stokes pointed out that the

object of the Lai Wah Cup competition was to raise funds to defray the expenses for the Interport. Mr. Pryde supported Mr. She's proposal, saying: "I know we are hard up, but we have been spending money when we should not have spent."

Chairman: Not lately.

Mr. Pryde: Yes.

Chairman: For instance?

Mr. Pryde: Recently we had a cocktail party here, which was not necessary, and which cost quite a lot.

Chairman: We are rather in need of funds to defray expenses for the Interport, and the object of the Lai Wah Cup competition is for this purpose.

Capt. Kimm proposed an amendment to the proposal, to the effect that the proceeds be allocated "to such an extent as the Council directs."

Mr. She said that if the amendment were put forward he would withdraw his proposal because it would confuse things.

Mr. Pryde: I support Mr. She's remarks. Give or don't give.

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Badminton Season Opens

(Continued from Page 8.)

J. Pau and K. H. Lo (Kling's College) beat Stephen and Brown 21-3; beat Merritt and Yang Chen 21-14; beat Palm and Sprague 21-2.

ST. ANDREW'S "B" v. KOWLOON TONG "A"

At St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon Tong seniors won by seven games to two.

L. E. Kirby and J. P. Dawson (St. Andrew's "B") lost to N. A. E. Mackay and A. Chan 7-21; beat A. W. du Roza and K. C. Yeo 21-17; lost to A. E. H. Castro and R. E. Lee 21-21.

M. Weill and G. White (St. Andrew's "B") lost to Mackay and Chan 3-21; beat Roza and Yeo 21-18; lost to Castro and Lee 17-21.

S. A. Broadbridge and A. S. Bliss (St. Andrew's "B") lost to Mackay and Chan 15-21; lost to Roza and Yeo 13-21; lost to Castro and Lee 20-23.

V.R.C. v. CHINESE Y.M.C.A.

At Bridges Street last night, the Chinese "Y" beat the Victoria Recreation Club by 9 games to nil.

W. Lawrence and A. O. Barretto (V.R.C.) lost to P. H. Wong and T. W. Wong 3-21; lost to Ong Tian Jim and Chuang Tze Yung 8-21; lost to Henry Koh and Frederick Koh 17-21.

C. N. da Silva and M. M. de Soares (V.R.C.) lost to Wong and Wong 13-21; lost to Ong and Chuang 7-21; lost to Koh and Koh 18-21.

E. M. L. Soares and D. M. Xavier (V.R.C.) lost to Wong and Wong 2-21; lost to Ong and Chuang 2-21; lost to Koh and Koh 11-21.

KOWLOON TONG "B" v. ST. JOHN'S

At Kowloon Tong last night, the Kowloon Tong Club "B" lost to the St. John's Club by 6 games to 3.

J. A. V. Soares and Peter Lo (Kowloon Tong) lost to A. Smith and N. Smith 10-21; lost to David Kwok and J. Bennett 3-21; beat J. A. Donald and J. W. Pengalley 21-9.

C. Alves and J. Alves (Kowloon Tong) lost to Smith and Smith 14-21; lost to Kwok and Bennett 8-21; beat Donald and Pengalley 21-10.

H. Chan and P. Pook-shing (Kowloon Tong) lost to Smith and Smith 5-21; lost to Kwok and Bennett 1-21; beat Donald and Pengalley 21-13.

OXFORD RUGGER SIDE FOR THE YEAR

Powerful XV Anticipated With Good Talent

London, Oct. 10.

The Oxford University Rugby side will again be led by M. McG. Cooper, the New Zealand Scottish International forward, who acted as captain for K. L. T. Jackson (injured) twelve months ago.

Nine Old Blues are available from last year's strong XV. They are: J. L. Stuart-Watson (fullback), A. Obelensky and M. M. Walford (three-quarters), C. F. Greive (half), and, besides Cooper, J. H. Brett, C. F. Bloxham, G. A. Reid, and P. C. W. Disney (forwards).

Two other Blues, R. F. Harding (three-quarter) and H. M. Hughes (forward) are uncertain.

It may be that the team will be built around Walford in view of this player's fine form as a fly-half late last season. If this is so, C. F. Greive may be moved to fullback which would leave Oxford to find two new three-quarters.

Among the Seniors, W. N. Renwick (Loretto) and R. L. Button (Trent College) are strong candidates. Candidates for places in the three-quarter line may be J. C. Oliver, a Rhodestian, J. H. Port, of Adelaide University, and B. L. Cummings (Michaelhouse S.A.).

The new men include a number of players with well-established school reputations. R. E. Luyt (Dinccan College, S.A.) is son of a famous South African, is said to be an outstanding half, as is also J. D. Lewis, who played three-quarter for the New Zealand University team.

There is obviously plenty of talent behind the scrum. There seems little cause for anxiety over the scrum and if Oxford find capable half-backs they should have a very powerful side.

TWICKENHAM GAME

The Inter-Varsity match this year will be played at Twickenham on December 8.

Oxford has undertaken a heavy programme this season. Among the teams met will be United Services at Portsmouth, Leicester, Richmond and Blackheath will be met in November and the Christmas tour of Ireland will contain a match with the North of Ireland, who have a strong team this year.

The Army will be played at Aldershot on February 27 and the season ends with a Blackheath match on March 6.

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LOCAL YACHTING

SPORT ADVTS.

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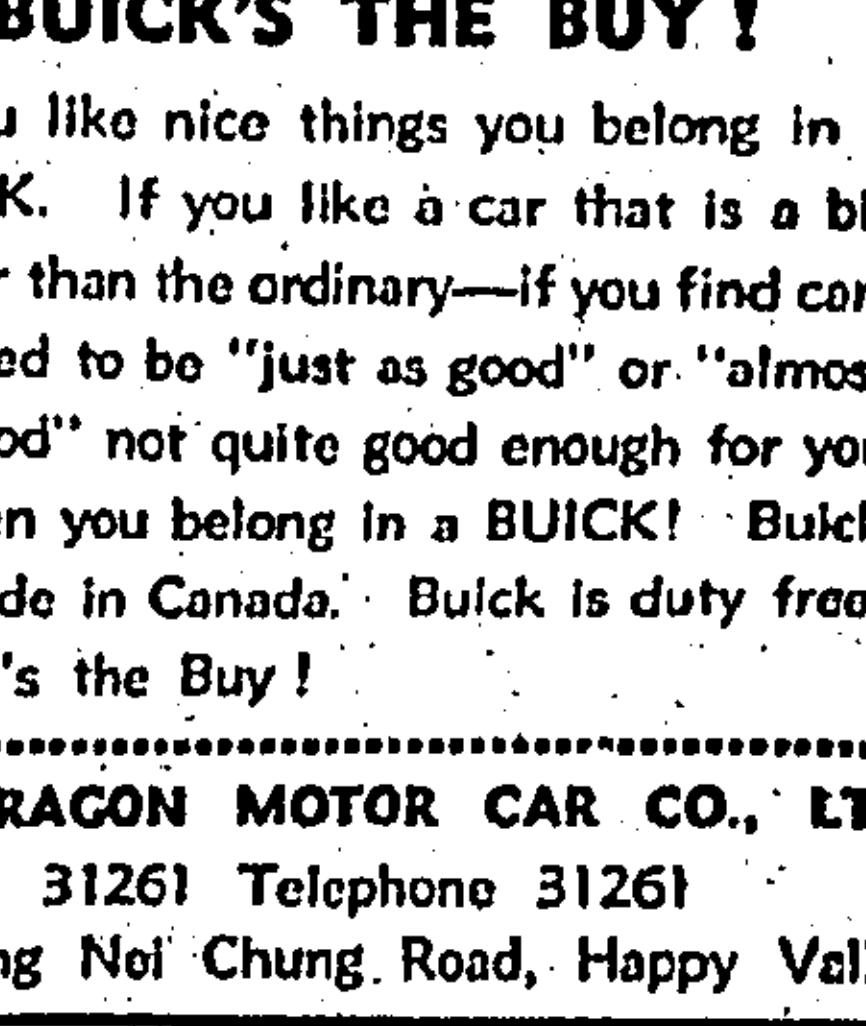
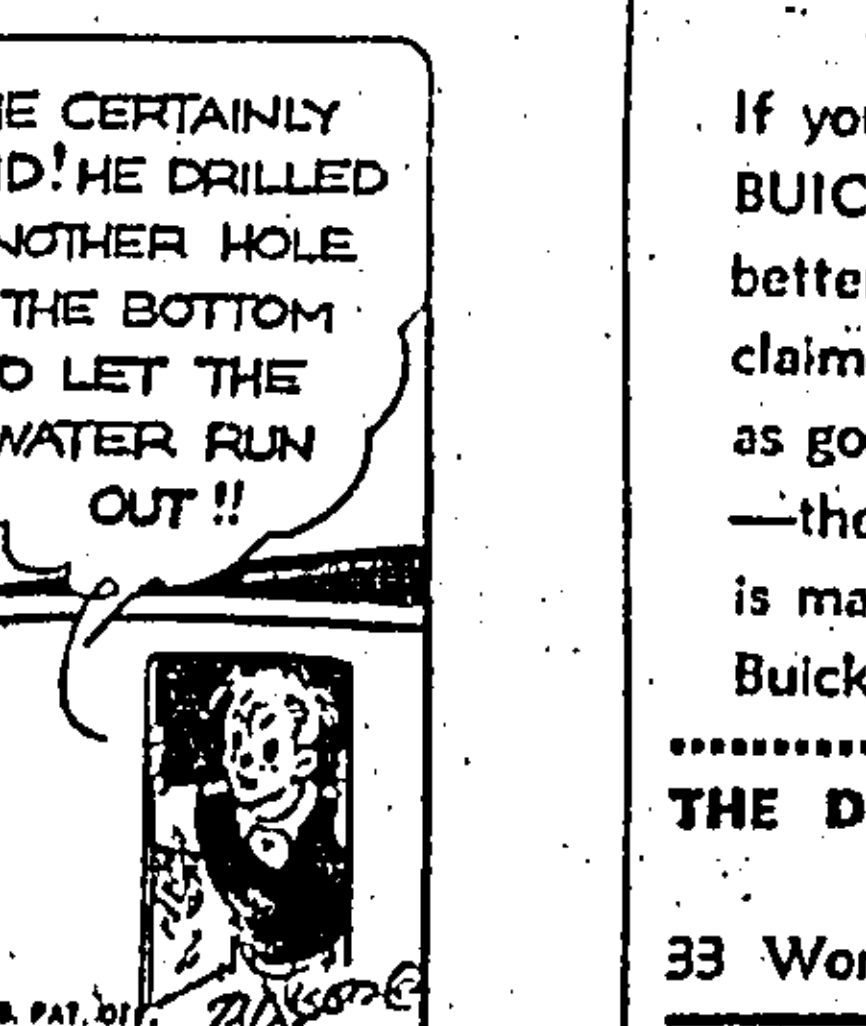
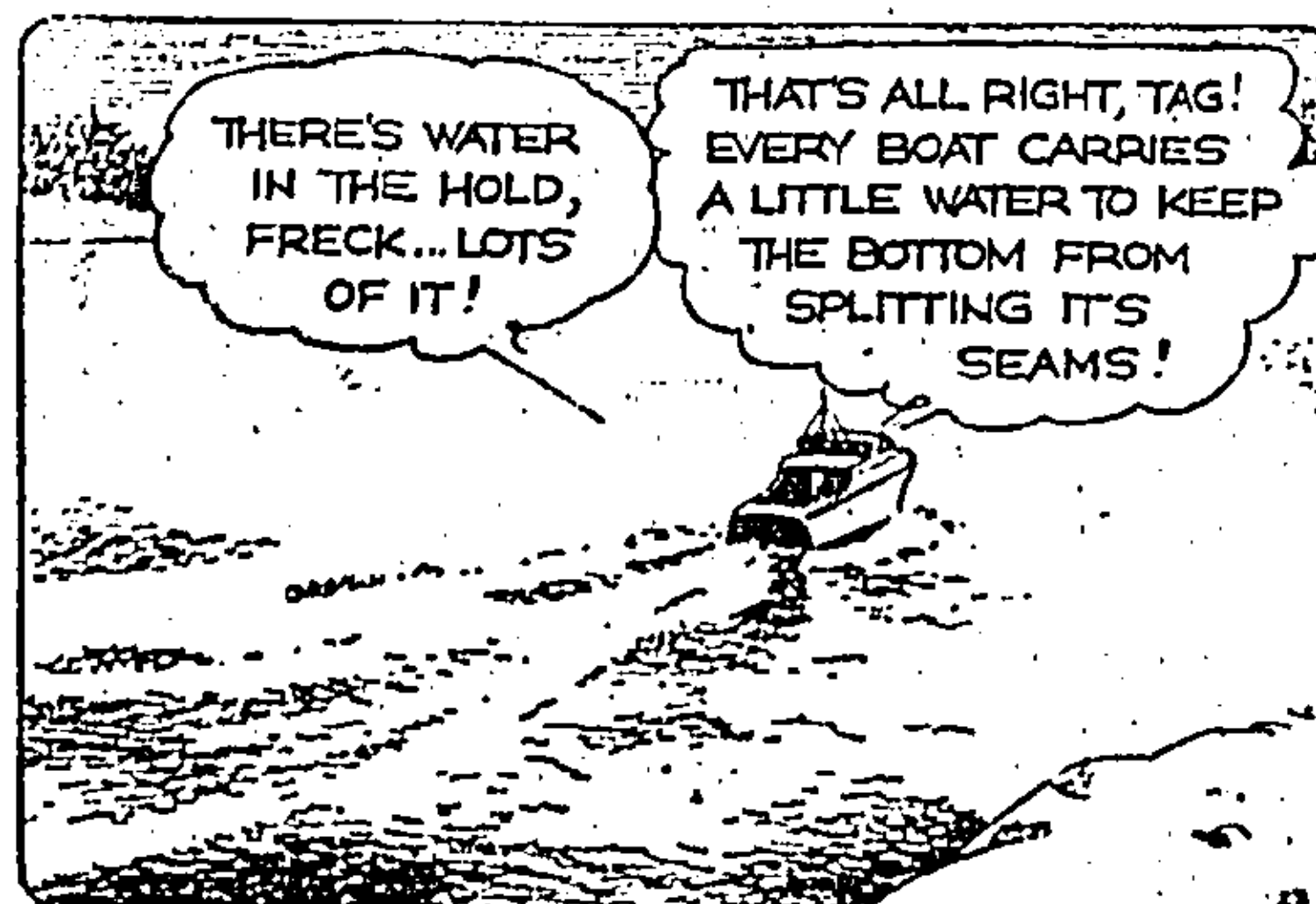
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NEW STEPS for a SEASON of DANCING

by
Mary
Benedetta

THIS month everybody's thoughts turn to dancing again. But, before the dance lovers think of learning any new steps, they should spend several evenings getting back "into form." This really means looking for their faults and correcting them.

We all know, for instance, the dancer who bends both knees all the time. She looks as if she is fighting her way through very deep snow, and her partner's legs probably get a few bruises from knocking into them.

Bend the front knee slightly when you are taking a long step back, to keep the body upright.

At the same time the back knee should be stretched out straight. Dance from your hips downwards, not from your knees down, and your knee will then behave as they should.

THE "STRADDLERS"

Then there are the "straddlers" whose feet never meet each other, with a distressingly gawky result.

Every time the feet pass make them just brush together on the insides.

Good dancers wear their shoes out all down the inside of the foot.

If you dance in the correct position, and make your body convey your legs, instead of trying to make your legs take your body along, then you are more than half-way towards being a good dancer.

DO NOT "SNATCH"

Men do not like partners who snatch the steps away from them. This often happens with people who are accustomed to dancing together. However well you know the steps, let the man draw you into them, but without being slow to follow him. They also hate women who droop heavily on their shoulders and expect to be more or less taken for a ride.

People who dance a good deal in crowded restaurants are apt to appear rooted to the floor under their feet. This is very exhausting to whoever has to dance with them.

Dancers should never lose that sense of continual flowing movement, which is best

Modern Viennese Waltz—

Follow the steps of the Season's Newest Dance

Here's a "film" of the two turns in the dance. For the Walk, read the direction in Mary Benedetta's article.

The Turn

- 1 Back on the left—one.
- 2 Right foot to the side—two.
- 3 Left foot up to it—bringing feet together—three.
- 4 Right foot forward—one.
- 5 Bring left foot up to it without putting your weight down, and hesitate—two—three.

(You are turning all the time).

Reverse Turn

- 6 Back on right—one.
- 7 Left foot to side—two.
- 8 Bring right foot to left.
- 9 Left foot forward—one.
- 10 Bring right foot up to it without putting weight down, and hesitate—two—three.

described as "carry through." You can still keep it on a crowded floor by making all your steps much smaller. And now the new steps.

There is nothing exaggerated about the new season's dancing, and most of the steps are variations of old favourites.

The new dance is a modern Viennese waltz, and is a cross between an old-fashioned waltz and a modern one, danced to music with a tempo between the two. It has come into being because of the popular craze for dancing the old-fashioned waltz. But instead of just turning dizzily to the music, there are all kinds of attractive new steps and delightful little hesitations.

The easiest step in the new waltz is The Walk.

Here are the movements for the girl. The man follows the same steps, but on opposite feet, and, of course, in the reverse position. He has no

variations of steps from the girl's.

THE WALK

Step back with the left foot on the first beat—one. Draw the right foot up to it, without putting any weight on it, and hesitate for the last two beats—two, three. Back right, continuing the same way.

For the two "Turns" in the waltz follow the film strip diagram above.

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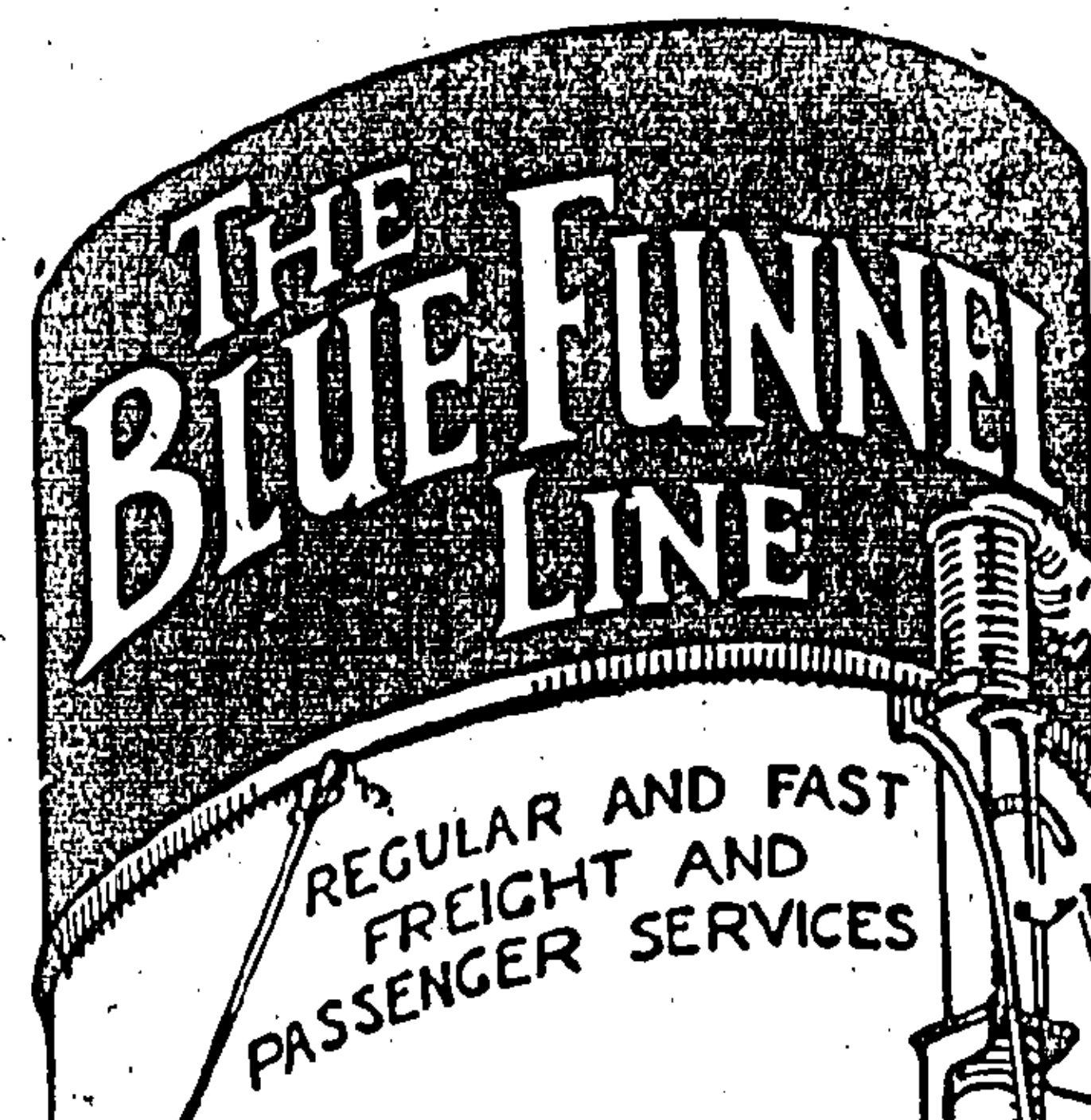
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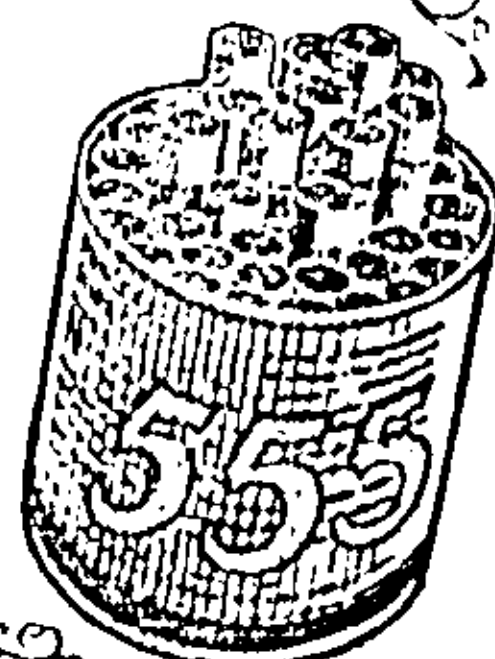
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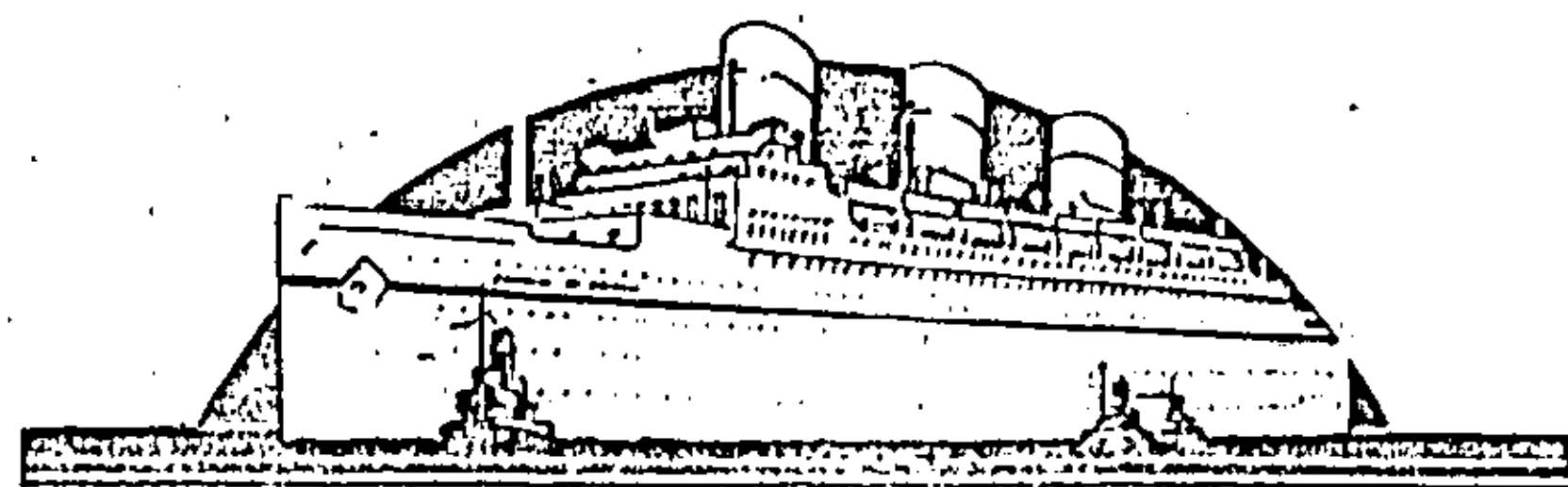
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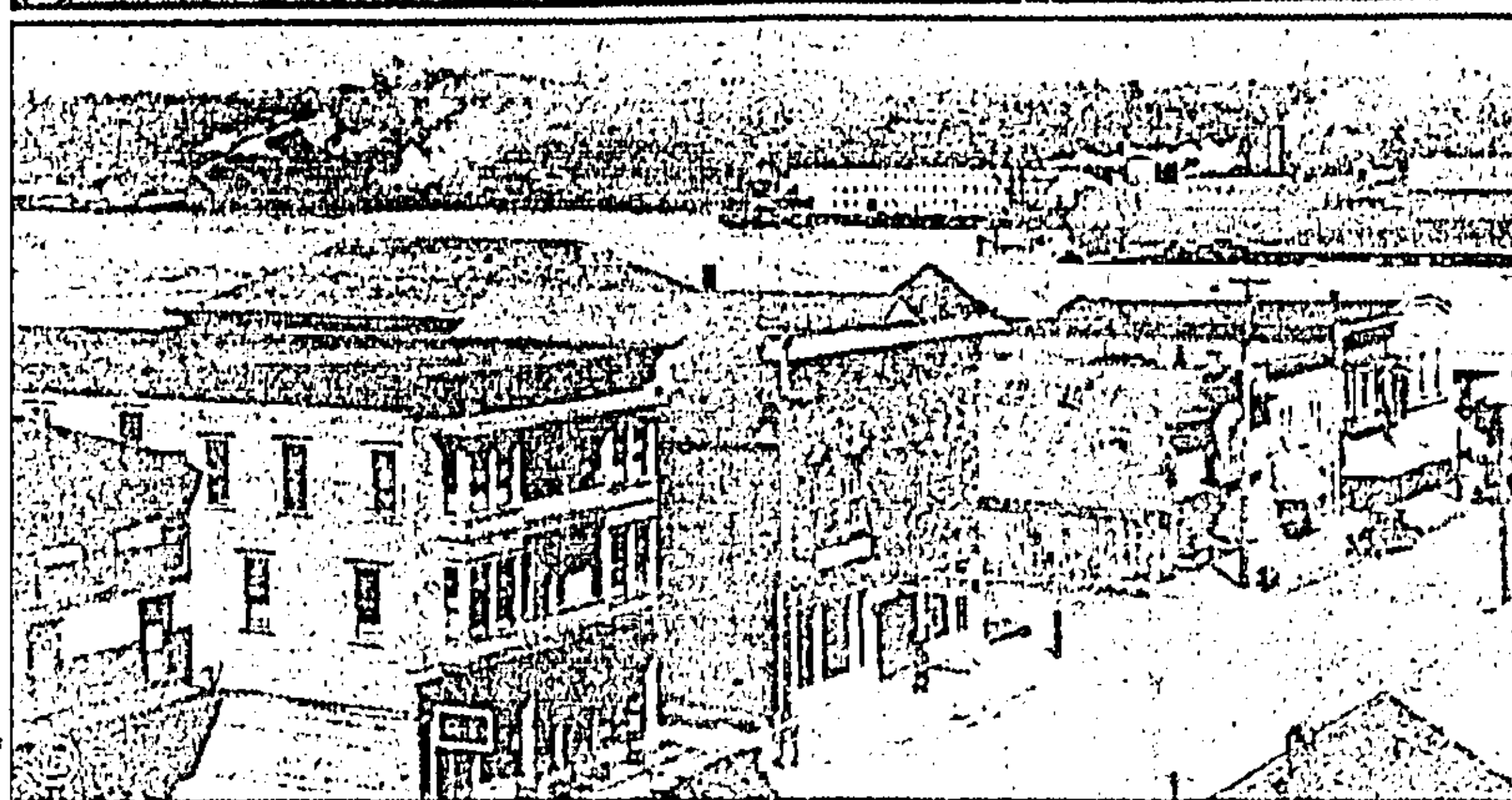
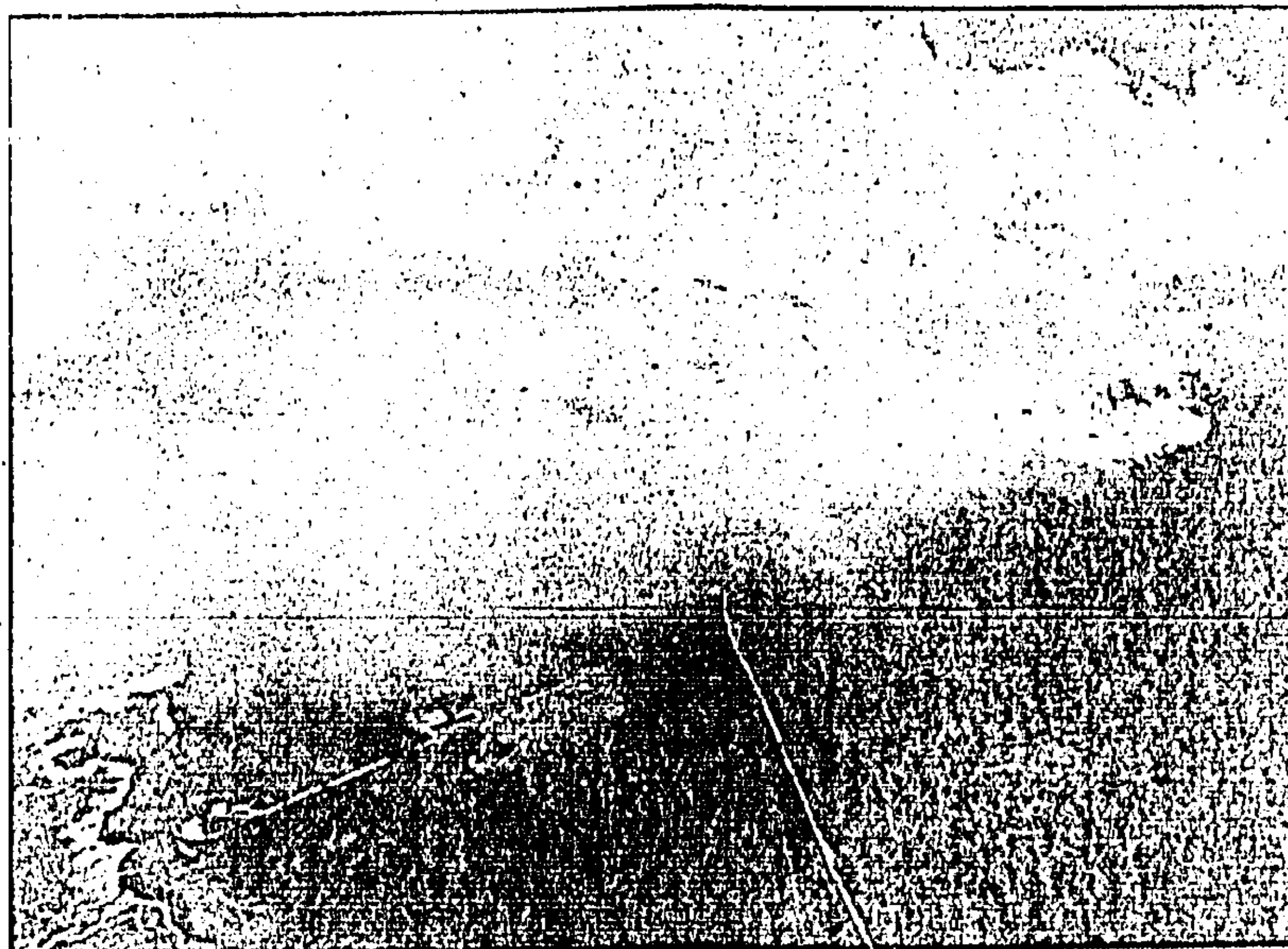


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While an outbreak of late forest fires were imperiling redwoods in Northern California, high winds fanned flames in the forests of South-western Oregon, and the towns of Bandon and Prosper were destroyed, while other Coos Bay and coastal communities were in imminent danger of destruction. Nearly a score were reported dead, and thousands were rendered homeless. Above, air view of the flames sweeping timber near Denoe Bay. This Lincoln county resort is blocked out by smoke. Below, general view of Bandon, reported destroyed.

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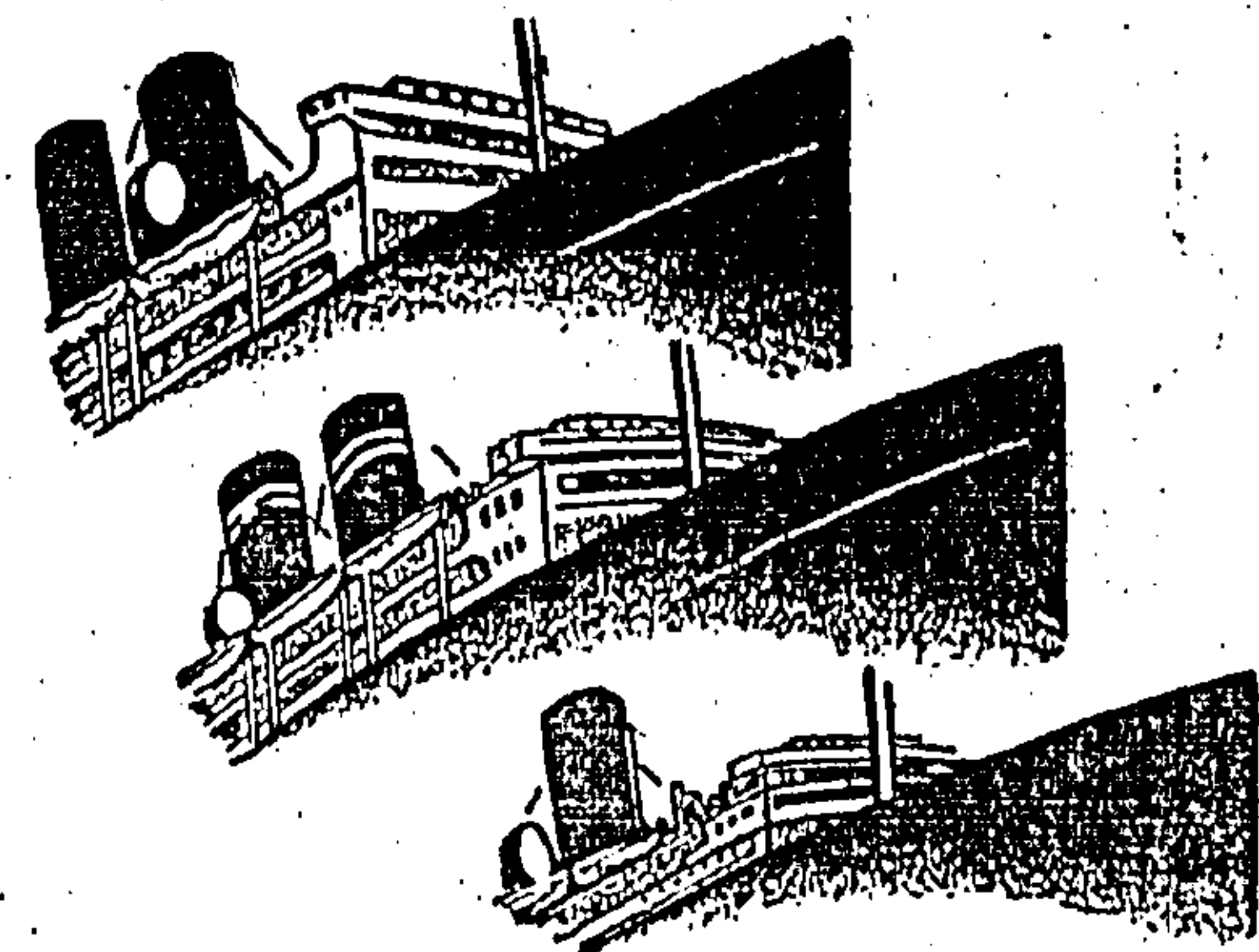
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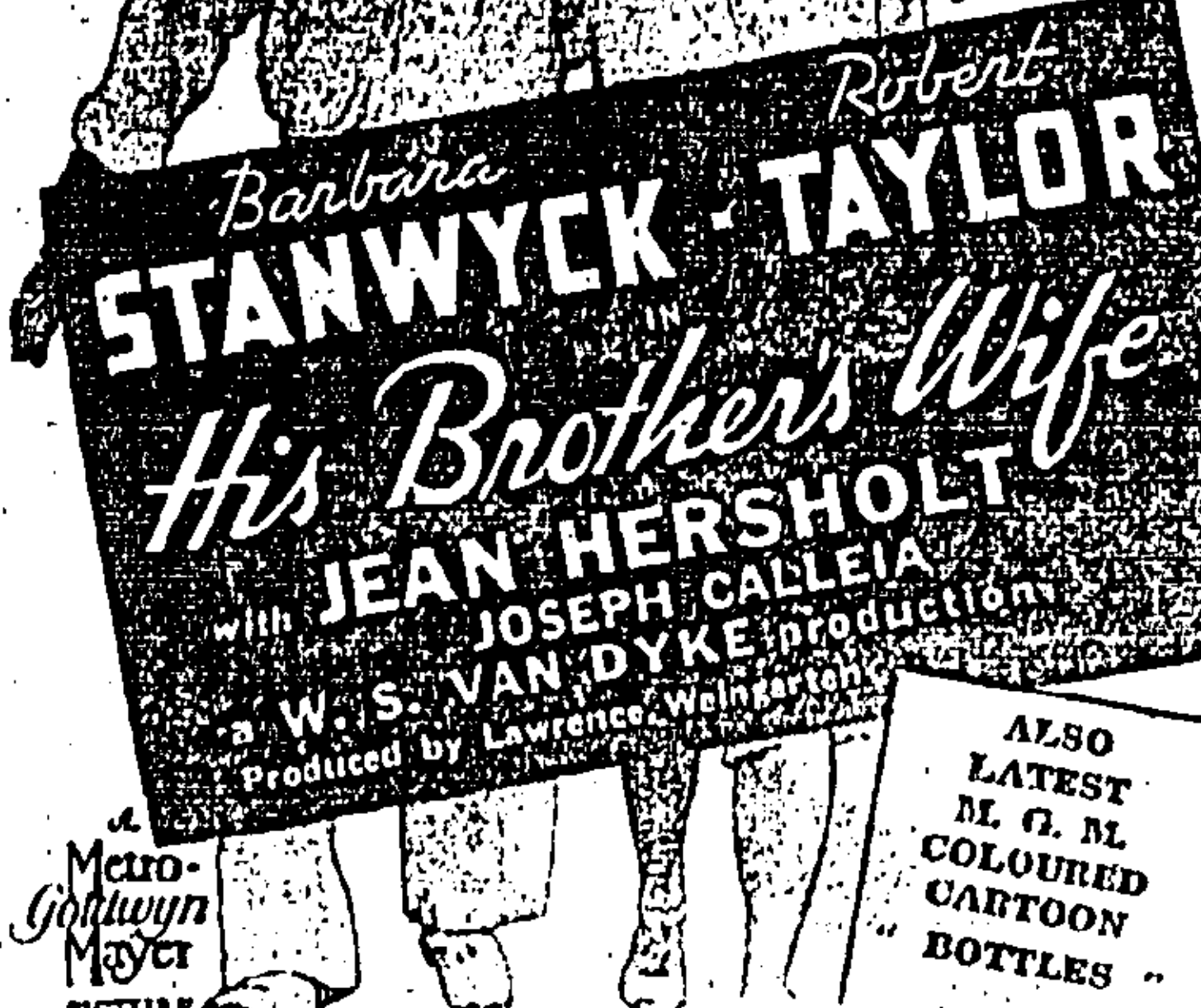
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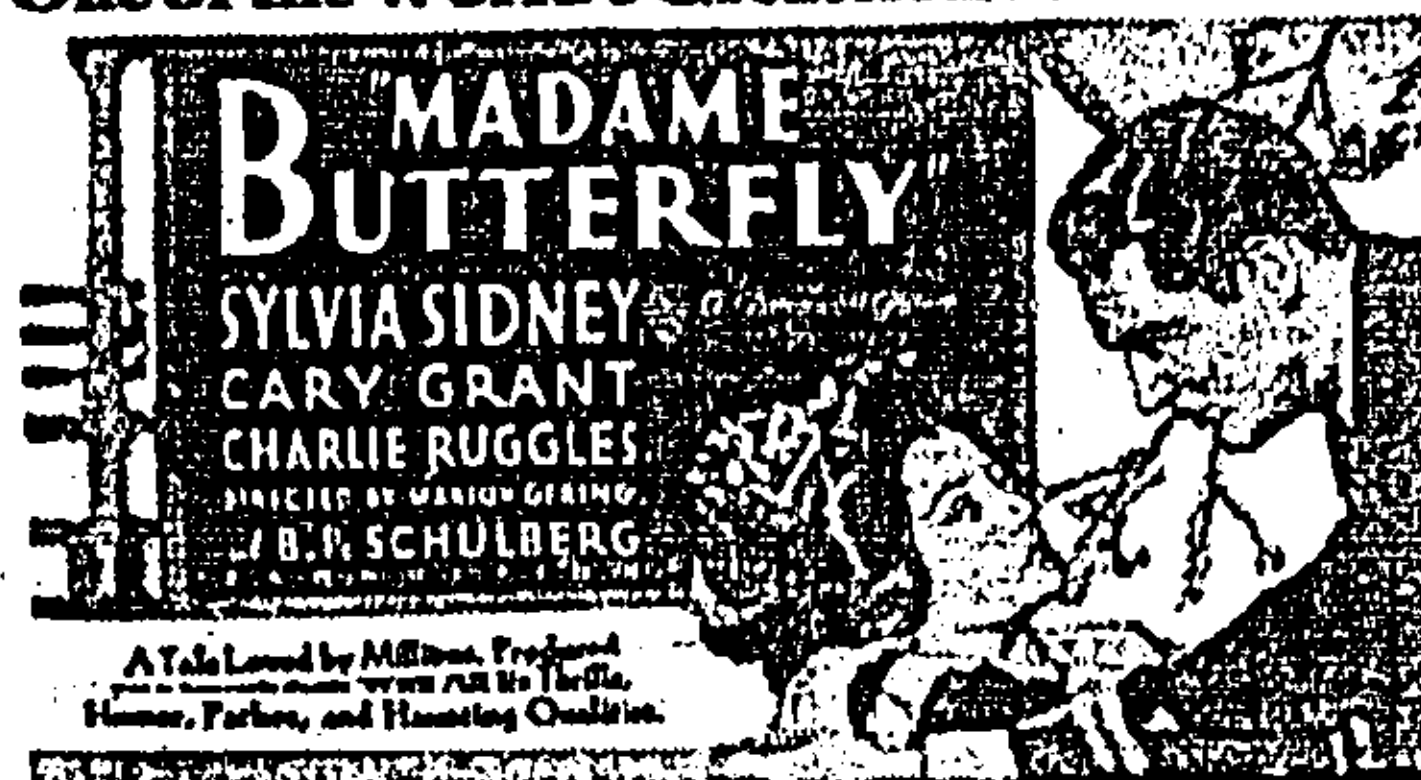
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"BUDDY" ROGERS IS HAPPY MAN

Hollywood, Nov. 16. Mary Pickford, 42, former wife of Douglas Fairbanks, Sr., confirmed today the fact that she is marrying the crooning motion picture star, "Buddy" Rogers, 32.

Immediately after Miss Pickford made this statement, her studio announced the wedding "some time in the Spring."

It was stated that Mr. Rogers' mother was flying to Hollywood on Tuesday to make a formal announcement of the engagement at a small reception in the Beverly Hills Wilshire Hotel.

Miss Pickford's confirmation followed an announcement from Judge Bert Rogers, of Olathe, Kansas, who revealed that "Buddy" and Mary had telegraphed the news of their intentions. Asked if he thought the disparity in their ages would cause difficulties, Judge Rogers said:

"Goodness! sakes, no. Mary is a sweet girl, and a sweet girl is ageless. She's as pretty as a picture. You've never seen anything happier than 'Buddy' and Mary. They are a swell couple. Trouble? Gracious no!" —United Press.

MUSICAL TREAT AT MACAO

PROFESSOR ORE AND MISS BARRETO

Macao, Nov. 16. Music-lovers in Macao were splendidly entertained with classical piano selections at a recital given by Professor Harry Ore and Miss Marina Barreto at the Saloon of the Macao Club on Sunday evening.

In the first part of the concert, Professor Ore displayed complete mastery of his art in the skillful rendition of Intermezzo (Brahms) and "Second Rhapsody" (Liszt) of his own composition. Miss Barreto combined presentation on two pianos of Concerto Duetto from Mozart (Busoni), Dance of Death (Saint Saens) and the Anthem of the Coimbra University (O'Neill). Played by special request, well received. To not a few of the gathering, the piece recalled close associations with their Alma Mater, the leading educational institution in distant Portugal.

In the second part of the programme, the duettists presented Romance, Op. 51 (Grieg) and Suite, Op. 15-Romance, Valse and Polonaise (Arensky) which were much appreciated.

In two excellent piano solos, Prelude (Debussy) and Concerto Study "A Sigh" (Liszt), Miss Marina Barreto was warmly applauded. In the delicacy of touch and the gracefulness of expression, Miss Barreto expressed a musical talent of no mean order. It is learned that the accomplished exponent completed her musical education in Paris after three years under the able tuition of Madame Marguerite Long.

It is not often that residents of Macao are delighted by two versatile artists the one complementing the other, and that Macao is devoted to good music was amply demonstrated in the packed use to hear pianists with whom they have become acquainted by tuning in to Hongkong radio broadcasts.—Our Own Correspondent.

COTTON LANDS CONFISCATED

BRITISH INTERESTS AFFECTED

London, Nov. 16. Replying to a question regarding a report that the Mexican Government had confiscated about 55,000 acres of British-owned cotton lands, Mr. Eden said he was aware that the Mexican Government recently decided to apply the provisions of the agrarian law to the cotton plantations of the Laguna district, thus modifying the previous policy in this matter.

The British Minister had been in close touch throughout both with the British interests affected and with the Mexican authorities, and every effort was being made to ensure that British interests obtain the measure of compensation to which they are entitled under the agrarian code.—British Wireless.

Chan Sze-kau, 18, painter, was fined \$75, in default, two months' hard labour by Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of stealing \$35 in Shanghai money, \$5 in Hongkong money and two silver rings, the property of Kiang Hui-chuen, from No. 2 Yiu Wah Street, on November 15. Inspector Logan said defendant went to the premises to paint a chest of drawers, and while there he opened another chest of drawers with an instrument and took a key with which he stole the property. The total value of the property was \$80, but \$32.30, representing a ring and cash, had been recovered.

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TRADE PACTS FORGOTTEN

London, Nov. 16. A duty of 100 per cent. ad valorem has been imposed on Coronation decorations and souvenirs imported into Britain between December 15, 1936, and July 31, 1937.

The order applies to articles bearing a representation of the King or any member of the Royal Family, or any royal emblem, article or building associated with the Coronation. The flag of any country in the Empire or flags resembling such will be taxed to the full extent of their value.

The Imports Committee says that no considerable importation of Coronation souvenirs has yet developed but precautions are necessary to prevent a serious loss to British manufacturers through the influx of foreign goods at low prices.

The French and German governments have agreed to waive their rights under trade agreements during the duration of the order in view of the exceptional circumstances of the case.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

Masonic Leader Dies In Manila

WAS WELL-KNOWN IN HONGKONG, CANTON

Freemasonry in the Far East has suffered a severe loss with the death in Manila yesterday evening of Mr. S. R. Hawthorne, Immediate Past Master of the Grand Lodge of the Philippine Islands.

According to meagre cable news received in Hongkong this morning, Mr. Hawthorne died suddenly from a severe heart attack whilst playing golf.

Mr. Hawthorne was well known in Hongkong, Canton and throughout the Far East. In Manila he was Proprietor of the Hamilton Brown Shoe Store in that city.

As Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the Philippine Islands, Mr. Hawthorne paid several visits to China, and assisted in the installation of several American Lodges in that country, including Canton.

He recently returned to Manila from a world tour, and was apparently in the best of health when passing through this Colony.

SINO-JAPANESE CO-OPERATION

Shanghai, Nov. 17.

Mr. Li Shi-hao to-day left for Peking to attend the inaugural ceremonies of the Huilung Company, a joint Sino-Japanese organisation for the operation of an air service between North China and Manchukuo.

During his trip south Mr. Li will interview Marshal Chiang Kai-shek at Loyang and other Government members at Nanking.—Reuter.

Welshmen Refuse To Meet King

SYMPATHY FOR POOR SHIELDS' CABINET

POLITICIANS' ALLEGATION

London, Nov. 17. A sensation has been created in political circles by the refusal of two Labour members of Parliament, representing Welsh constituencies, Mr. Anselm Bevan and Mr. W. H. Mainwaring, to be present to meet His Majesty the King when he visits South Wales this week.

Mr. Bevan, writing to the Minister of Mines, in reply to the invitation to be present in his constituency during the King's tour, declined on the grounds that there were pressing problems and suffering in South Wales, for which Ministers were responsible.

While paying a tribute to the King's sympathy with the unemployed, Mr. Bevan regrets that such sympathy should be used to conceal not only the negligence of His Majesty's Ministers but their active persecution of the poor.

Mr. Mainwaring has written refusing to participate in the tour, on similar grounds.—Reuter.

ENCOURAGE CHINESE DEFENDERS

SCHOOL CHILDREN PROMISE SUPPORT

Shanghai, Nov. 17. Telegrams encouraging General Fu Tso-yi to resist the threatened Manchukuo-Mongol invasion of Suiyuan have been despatched by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce and the Shanghai Civic Association.

More than 1,000 primary school children have signed a letter to him declaring they are saving their pocket-money for the soldiers at the front.

This follows similar action taken by Peking and Tientsin student bodies.—Reuter.

NEW GOVERNOR OF S. AFRICA

London, Nov. 16.

His Majesty the King, on the recommendation of General James Hertzog, has appointed Mr. Patrick Duncan Governor-General of South Africa, in succession to Lord Charnwood, whose extended period of office expires in March.—Reuter.

RECOMMENDATION

London, Nov. 16.

It is understood that Mr. Patrick Duncan, at present the South African Minister of Mines, has been recommended by the Union Government to succeed Lord Charnwood as the first South African to occupy the post.—Reuter.

Cheung Kung, aged 50, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital with head injuries which he received when he was knocked down by lorry No. 2263 in Connaught Road West yesterday. His condition is reported to be serious. A 20-year-old man, Kwan King, was removed to the Kowloon Hospital with slight injuries when he was knocked down by lorry No. 4143 in Telegraph Bay.

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